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MARION, CRITTENDEN COUNTY, KENTUCKY, JANUARY 30, 1902.

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THE LEGISLATIVE WORK.

A Number of Bills Passed---Distinguished Visitors.

DEAR PRESS: Another week has passed since I took pleasure in speaking with you. The wheels of legislation have made but few revolutions during that time. Several bills relating to Louisville and its complicated government have passed both houses, and the proposed measures for that city alone would consume the time of the legislature till the 4th of July.

A bill placing the punishment of local option offenders in the hands of the magistrates and police courts, for final trial, passed the house by almost unanimous vote; a similar bill passed the senate.

A bill to abolish the state board of equalization, or to restrict its powers greatly, is looked upon with great favor and will probably become a law.

The senate passed Cantrill's bill to prevent the use of paris green on tobacco, and it will next engage the attention of the house. Your humble servant would like to hear deciding the question of local opfrom the tobacco growers of his tion, so that if a majority of the district on that subject.

Capitol appropriation talk has steadily gone down, till you can of that county. Under the presscarcely find any one to converse ent law one district of the county with you on that subject, except might vote "dry" while another it be an exponent of Louisville or might vote "wet." Counties hav-Lexington fitness, or the ideal city ing large towns or cities under the to which we could, with equal dig- proposed option law would would paper, to a material foundation of taining smaller town it is said the rest forever.

the wine's rosy glow, with the entrancing metody of the world's friends of local option have a maopen "the old empty stocking" Senate and of nearly three to one and take therefrom \$200,000 to in the House, as matters stand advertise Kentucky at the great now. Therefore, it is believed that Exposition. Well, Mr. Editor, the fight over this question this you have "been there," and of year will be equally as exciting as course you know that the best pol. it was when the Roberts Bill was icy is to "try to look wise and say before the legislature. nothing."

We elected the Hon. James B. McCreary to succeed the Hon. William J. Deboe, of your city, in the U. S. Senate, this week, again, this being the third time I hope my Democratic friends will not grumble about the job being imperfectly done.

We also elected Miss Pauline Hardin for librarian, by acclamation, as Gov. Worthington, for the Republicans, so moved.

that they need never fear that this legislature will put those institutions in the hands of demagogues who only seek to line their own pockets, but that they will continnagement to dispense knowledge and charity to the unfortunate sons and daughters of Kentucky.

The old residents of this city inform me that the 'erop of "jobs" this session is the most prolific within their knowledge. That will give you some idea of the magnitude of the thing.

A great many came here to get office, and the fact that the caucus did not "pan out" does not dispirit them, as they sit supinely by waiting for the legislature to create an office for them to run for.

Every kind of a bill that the human mind can conceive has already been introduced, and you have only to wait and take your choice. More next week.

Marion F. Pogue.

LOCAL OPTION.

The Bill Making the County Unity May Pass.

There is going to a hard fight over the Farris Local Option Bill, which is practically the Roberts Local Option Bill of last session. It makes the county the unit in voters in a county vote "dry" there can be no liquor sold in any part magnificent structure, erected on claimed, while in the counties con opposite result would be reached. A score of celebrated Missouri- At any rate the county unit rule ans, headed by four ex-governors, has been a bone of sharp contenwho claim Kentucky as their na- tion between the prohibitionists tive place, will pounce down upon and those who favor the sale of lius this week and endeavor, under quor. A poll of the two houses by the brilliant festal lamp, through interested persons is said to have resulted in the discovery that the sweetest music, to cause us to jority of about two to one in the

Indications of Oil.

Boynton, who has been boring for two years ago. This mine is woroil for some time on the farm of ked by four or five men, and it W. F. O'Hara, four miles south of was learned that the profits on the Princeton, this week brought to spar taken from that mine last town some pulverized stone. The year was over \$8,000. The vein is stone was taken from the bottom almost inexhaustible and it is of the well at a depth of 800 feet. claimed can be worked profitably It has the color of crude petrole- for the next fifty years. um. The prospects of oil in Caldwell county are flattering, and Mr bridge mine is the McClelland Blind and Deaf and Dumb schools few days until he has oil in abun-

Cut this out and take it to Haynes drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tabue under the present efficient ma. disorders of the stomach, biliousness

15 Minutes

sufficient to give you most delicious tea biscuit using Royal Baking Powder as directed. A pure, true leavener.

THE BEGINNING

and schemes to rob the treasury Of an Industry that will Enrich Western Kentucky.

> Development of Spar Mines is Revolutionizing Crittenden County.

Needmore! Yes, Needmore. that used to be the name of the little hamlet in the Southwestern part of Crittenden county that now bears the euphoneous name of Frances, and was so-called in honor of the wife of ex-president Cleveland.

A representative of the Tale of Two Cities made a tour through the spar fields surrounding that quaint little hamlet last week and was astonished at the developments that are taking place there in mining fluor spar, the valuable mineral that is now revolutionizing the manufacture and working of iron and steel.

Nineteen years before the same for the next five or ten years. pencil pusher was at the same hamlet, and when he asked the uame of their little town and was told that it was "Needmore," and when he took a look at the impoverished soil he became thoroughly convinced that the name was no misnomer, and was the most appropriately named town in the United States.

The town has undergone quite Pogue, father of the Hon. Marion from Crittenden and Livingston counties, now at Frankfort, where he is regarded as one of the best men in the lower bouse. Judge Pogue is a typical Southern gentleman, who delights in reminis. cences of long ago, and in making his guests feel at ease and comfortable.

From almost a dreary waste that section of the country surrounding Frances has become a veritable bee-hive, miners, prospectors, and capitalists all in a rush to bet ter their financial condition by developing the spar mining busi-

Almost in a stone's throw of Frances is located the Asbridge Princeton, Ky., Jan. 25.-J. J. mines, which were opened about

Within eighty feet of the Ash-Tell interested friends of the Boynton thinks it is a matter of a mines, which promises to be even yet business men keep right on, a greater producer of spar than wasting their money in these methe Asbridge. The mine has been diums. opened since the first of December, by Mr. F, A. McClelland, who to prove the relative value of these represents an Eddyville company. lets, the best physic. They also cure He has secured leases and options compared with straight newspaper on some very valuable mineral advertising. lands, and opened six or eight small mines, or prospect holes, buy anything to which your attentwo or three becoming paying tion had been called by a circular? mines from the second or third Few people whom we have ever With connections for all points in the day after beginning. Mr McClelland is an experienced mineral ny-have admitted that they have. man, having been engaged in the On the other hand, if you are hon mining business in Indiana for a est you will acknowledge that you good many years before coming to have made many purchases of ar-Eddyville. He is an expert on ticles advertised in the columns of spar and is already quite familiar the magazines and newspapers. with the location and course of Editor and Publisher. the various spar veins.

Three kinds of spar are found in seemingly inexhaustible quanconsidered a very high grade, and the O. V. branch of the Illinois Co's.

Central railroad, four and one half miles from Frances. It costs only 25 to 40 cents a ton to get the spar mined and from sixty-five cents to one dollar and a quarter to haul by wagon to Mexico.

The Hodge mine, said to be the largest and best paying spar mine in the world, is only one and a half miles from Frances. It puts out from forty to sixty tons a day. Mr. Johnnie Hodge, upon whose land this mine is located, it is said gets three thousand dollars a year as royalty, while the operators of this mine receive from this property and some other mines in the county a net income of more than four hundred and fifty dollars per

The Yandell and Tabb and the Tabor are the names of some of the other mines, all within a radius of three miles of Frances, or Needmore. They are all doing a fine business, and new mines are being opened every week. Yet it is not a question of how much can be sold, but how much can be furnished. Speculators are begging for contracts for the entire output

No field in Kentucky promises such magnificent returns for the small capital with intelligent effort as the fluor spar fields of Crit tenden and Livingston counties, not even excepting the coal oil tields. Besides fluor spar, they have lead and zinc in great abundance and some little silver.

Indeed that whole section will soon be honey-combed by the ina change, several business houses dustrious miner, and that country and residences now adorn it, and that seemed fit only for sassafras nity and propriety transfer that almost invariably vote "wet," it is the only hotel is kept by Judge sprouts, broom sage and dirt dobbers will soon be made to blossom Pogue, the popular representative as the rose, and prosperity and plenty will abound everywhere .-Tale of Two Cities.

Driver Heir to Fortune.

Morganfield, Ky., Jan. 25.-Warren M. Dent, a driver for the Morganfield Steam Laundry, has just received word that he has fallen heir to \$150,000. [A rich unlec in Scotland died leaving all of his property to his only relative, who

Dent was employed by the Morganfield ice company until this fall, when he accepted a position to drive the laundry wagon. His many friends here are heartily con gratulating him upon his unexpec ted good luck.

Profitless Advertising.

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Tradewater Survey.

Congressman Allen Asks for An Appropriation for the River.

Washington, Jan. 24.-Representative Allen appeared before the Rivers and Harbor committee this morning and requested that a sufficient amount of money be appropriated for surveying Tradewater and Pond rivers, with the view of determining their practicability for navigation. Mr Allen believes the survey will be authorized. The committee seemed favorably impressed with his argument and asked a number of questions about the locality through the rivers flow.

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J. W. Blue, Jr.

MARION. . : : KENTUCKY.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The czar is a costly visitor when he toria. goes on a state mission. His trip to France will cost the government of that country nearly 3,000,000 francs.

James C. Needham, a member of the house of representatives, was grant wagon, his parents being en- the 27th inst. route across the plains to California.

There are in the city of Boston 73,-600 citizens who pay personal taxes Baltimore by Eddie Lennie. and about 20,000 of this number also pay a real estate tax. The poll tax payers in Boston number about 166,-

Chicago's revenue from water tax receipts, which was \$865,000 in 1880, rose to \$2,100,000 in 1899, and was \$3,-100,000 in 1900. The average daily John Mitchell president without a supply of water in Chicago is 300,000,-000 gallons.

Representative Connell, of Pennsylvania, who owns a score of coal mines, besides banks, newspapers, street car lines, railroads and a lot of other things, began life as a miner with a pick and shovel.

While the rest of the country growls about trusts, New Jersey, mother of the tribe, chortles as it jingles the rakeoff. Last year the state scooped in \$687,000 in fees from new combines.

The times have developed few more devoted martyrs to duty than the health commissioner in a Pennsylvania city who had himself vaccinated that it did not hurt.

Under the new apportionment of congressional districts the cities of present. New York will have 17 members, Chicago 9, Philadelphia 6, and St. Louis 3.

The footings of the tax books of Greater New York for 1902 show \$3,-122,121,669 in real estate and \$3,472, 785,862 in personal property. The latter figures will shrink materially be- in Mexico applaud the purpose of fore the close of the "swearing the United States government to off" season, which begins this month.

in the house. Illinois and Indiana only be worthy of the greatness of murder of Millionaire Rice. The are three; there are two Benjamin Franklins and two Thomas Jeffer-

There are two republicans in the Alabama legislature, two in the Arkansas legislature, none in the Florida legislature, five in the Georgia legislature, one in the South Carolina legislature, and none in the Texas legislature. There is no republican in the legislature of Louisiana.

Pennsylvania has levied no real estate taxes for state purposes since 1865, all the expenses for maintaining the state government being borne by the corporations. In 1865 the receipts of the state treasury of Pennsylvania aggregated \$6,249,987.67 and in 1901 they amounted to \$17,494,211.78.

In its efforts to suppress the gambling mania the University of Wisconsin faculty is threatening to expel a number of students whose pokerplaying proclivities seem to be making inroads upon their studious habits. They can keep right on, however, betting on foot ball games, so long as they back their own 'varsity club. The gambling mania must be subordinated to the demands of higher edu-

Dr. McComas, a druggist in Washington, has reduced his weight in six years by 207 pounds, leaving him a walking shadow of 210 pounds. How did he do it? By eating one meal a week and doing without coffee. than carrying 417 pounds. Why a man cannot have the satisfaction of eating all he wants without getting fat is one of those mysteries which the finite mind has no right to get sulky about.

Alfred Mosely, a wealthy Englishman, says American boys are brighter than English boys. He does is bright is because it tips the cap to no squire, squireling or other condescending overman. And, in addition to this, he may find by listening to the conversation of Uncle Sam's sons and daughters that each and every one has a towering ambition; not one is satisfied to stay in a particular class if he or she can see a way of getting higher.

During 1901 the number of passengers killed on the steam surface railroads in New York state was only 16 for the entire 17,518 miles of track in operation and out of a total of about 82,000,000 passengers carried, but even that comparatively small number was an increase of exactly 100 per cent. over the record of 1900, when there were only eight passengers killed out of a total of about 74,000,000 carried. In 1901 these New York railroads killed one passenger out of every 5, for every 9,230,764 carried in 190).

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

being in arms against the govern- a receiver.

The Mississippi legilsature has

Richard Croker, the deposed Tam- damage done. born at Carson City, Nev., in an emi- many chief, sailed for Europe on

> Geo. Dixon, the ex-champion light weight pugilist, was knocked out at eight wounded.

Jersey to succeed the late Gen. Sew- object being robbery.

The national convention of coal miners, at Indianapolis, re-elected

J. P. Morgan is organizing a gigantic company to control the steamships owned in this country and

the first water have been found in the northern part of Fergus county,

Count Von Waldersee, in command of the German troops during the siege of Pekin, will shortly visit this country.

Secretary Hay received a telegram from Mr. Buchanan, president of the United States delegation at the Pan-28 times to show reluctant citizens American congress, confirming the reports that a complete understanding has been reached on the subject of arbitration before the congress. the country receive a generally larger | This subject was the only one promrepresentation than they have at ising serious difficulty in adjustment, and the officials are now satisfied that the congress will be a success.

The Pan-American congress, in session at Mexico City, adopted the following: "The republics assembled at the international conference construct an inter-oceanic canal, and to the development of commerce bethe other countries of the world."

The monthly statement of the collections of internal revenue show that during December, 1901, the total receipts were \$22,812,915, a decrease as compared with the corresponding month in 1900 of \$2,399,-231. The receipts from the several sources of revenue are given as follows: Spirits \$11,520,957, increase \$146,542; tobacco \$4,403,496, decrease \$715,573; fermented liquors \$4,735,054, decrease \$509,835; oleomargarine \$223,119, increase \$13,-306; special taxes, not elsewhere enumerated, \$56,227, increase \$28,-344; miscellaneous \$1,974,059, decrease \$1,362,017.

Reports of Germany's foreign trade in 1901 show that the total imports amounted to 44,304,857 tons, compared with 45,911,799 and 44,- put of Arkansas was 190,105 tons, young men the greatest induce-652,286 tons in 1899 and 1900, respectively. There was a decrease of 1900. The increase in iron exports City, Mo.; Dan Onstott, age 20, 205, or \$8,211 per mile. The gross was nearly 800,000 tons. The de- Webb City, Mo. 753,000,000 marks in 1900.

It is now recognized that the contributing to the support of the children in the concentration camps

6,000 marks (\$1,428) a day. The plant of the Witter Manufacturing Company at Memphis, one of the United States has been signed was on trial for breaking up a church lard, a local newspaper man. the largest stove manufacturers in by Secretary Hay and the Danish social, when a number of his friends the south, was destroyed by fire on minister at Washington. The treaty took charge of the court room, com- en out in local trotting-horse circles 119,313 carried, as against one killed the 20th. Loss, \$250,000, with will be submitted to the senate for pelling judge and jury to leave in \$200,000 insurance.

S. E. Adams, cashier of the Commercial Bank at Fulton, Mo., is Natives of India are reported as missing and the bank is in charge of of Capt. Richmond P. Hobson,

January 22d was the first anni- the rank of rear admiral apon Dr. delphia, which was decided a draw. versary of the death of Queen Vic- P. M. Rixey, chief medical inspector of the navy.

Two distinct earthkuake sheeks passed a bill providing for taxing in- were felt at St. Louis and surrounding towns on the 24th inst. No

A. D. Cooper, a St. Louis million-John F. Dryden has been elected aire, was murdered by a colored at-United States senator from New tendant while in a bath house, the

Smallpox is raging in the Creek Nation, and at Muskogee all the schools have been closed to prevent spread of the disease. A butter trust is to be organized

with a capital of \$18,000,000. The new corporation will be incorporated under the laws of New Jersey. Employes of the window-glass

Diamonds that are said to be of manufactories controlled by the of wages averaging 12 per cent. Street car traffic at Terre Haute,

Ind., was completely stopped for several days last week, on account of a strike of motormen and conductors. A lumber camp near Hambleton,

W. Va., caught fire and burned so rapidly seven men failed to get out of the building and were burned to death.

Banker Morgan, of New York, after reading reports of Schwab's heavy betting at Monte Carlo, wired the president of the steel corporation to stop gambling at once.

Otto Bola, elevator boy, saved the lives of sixty women and children by making several trips with his elevator from the seventh floor of a Chicago hotel. Fire broke out on the second floor and the building was consumed, but the boy remained at his post until all were safe.

A. T. Patrick, the New York lawacknowledge that this work will not yer, is now undergoing trial for the send two each and Alabama and New the American people, but also in the dead man's valet, Jones, confessed York one each. The next given name highest sense a work of civilization that Patrick and himself entered into in favor is Henry Clay, of which there and to the highest degree beneficial a plot to murder him and secure the bulk of his estate by means of tween the American states and to forged will. The trial will last over

Mr. Hitchcock, secretary of the interior, and Mr. Jones, commissioner of Indian affairs, have decided upon another step toward the civilization of the Indian. This is in the form of a decree that Indians of both sexes shall hereafter be prohibited from painting their faces and that the men must begin patronizing barber shops. Dances are also prohibited in connection with funerals and other

tons of cotton seed, costing \$28,- that the business of railroad transper ton. The total value of the one, in the country today, paying the ugainst him. He was prevented from products was \$42,411,835. The out- highest salaries and holding out to doing him any harm. valued at \$3,188,812.

3.5 per cent in last year's imports, ing accidents of the Joplin district must be surprising and offensive to arrived here. They are of the get of compared with those of 1900. There occurred near Cartersville, Mo., on all right-minded persons. A prelimwas a decrease of more than a mil. the 18th by a cave-in. The Aida mine inary report of railways operating name. They are the property of Mr. lion tons in the coal imports, and No. 2, was the scene of the catras- probably 99 per cent of the mileage R. S. Veach, of St. Matthews, Ky. more than 500,000 tons in the iron trophe, and as a result four men are that will be covered by the final reand timber imports. The imports of now dead. The dead are: Arthur port for the year, shows the passenwhich Dr. McComas says is better wheat rose 1,125,000 tons. The to- Roberts, aged 30, Webb City, Mo.; ger earnings were \$426,909,210 and tal exports amounted to 32,363,495 John Simons, age 32, Carterville, the freight earnings \$1,114,740,770, county, and Miss Ogia, 20, daughter of tons, compared with 32,681,747 in Mo.; Bruce Westfall, age 29, Webb The total earnings were \$1,578,164,-

crease in the exports of ores and coal A naval battle took place in the final report for that year, were \$1,is especially noticeable. The value harbor of Panama between insur- 487,044,814. The operating exof the imports in 1901 was 5,967,- gent and Colombian vessels. Gen. penses for 1901 amounted to \$1,023,-000,000 marks, compared with 6,- Carlos Albon, military commander 281, or \$5,323 per mile of line, the near Lexington. The consideration not appear to know why. One of 043,000,000 marks in the preceding and governor of Panama, was among net earnings of the roads included paid was \$15,470. The land will be used the chief reasons why Young America year, while the exports were valued the killed. One of the government in this advance report being \$555,- for stock farm purposes. at 4,759,000 marks, as against 4,- ships took fire and went to the bot- 007,924, or \$35,557,218 in excess of tom, and one insurgent vessel was their earnings during the fiscal year Theo Bramer, for twenty-five sunk. The insurgent fleet was com- 1900. The total income of these years the trusted bookkeeper and posed of three vessels, two of them roads, including \$65,271,244 refinancier of the Schroth Packing being able to withdraw before ar- ceived from investments and other Congressman Gilbert is confident that Company, of Cincinnati, is alleged rival of reinforcements for the gov- sources, was \$620,279,168. The an appropriation will be made. to be short between \$200,000 and ernment fleet. A large number were amount of dividends declared durkilled on both sides.

Miss O'Connor, a school teacher

lamp. The treaty of cession of the Danratification.

A naval retiring board has declined to recommend the retirement

Sharkey and Mayer engaged in a President Roosevelt has conferred three-round fake fight at Phila-

The senate committee on comon Senator Frye's ship subsidy bill.

The value of the products of ingto preliminary figures of the As a result of a terrible explosion twelfth census, was \$1,466,669,495, to the senate was the Drewery firein a coal mine near Oskaloosa, Iowa, which was greater by nearly \$450,twenty-one men were killed and 000,000 than the value of products tem of voting of manufacturers in the United States in 1850. The total for 1900 shows an increase of \$549,440,468 over the total of 1890 in the value of products and of \$404,874,937 in the amount of capital invested, which in 1900 amounted to 1,153,670,097, against \$658,795,860 in 1890.

Having failed, after two years' strife, in subduing the insurrection in the common or graded schools that in Batangas province, P. I., which lies just south of Manila, and having Schley. Representative Averdick satisfied himself that lenient treatment to the insurgents is productive of no good results, Gen. J. Franklin Bell, the military commander in to the coronation of King Edward. trust have been granted an increase that province, has determined on the enforcement of the war in the most vigorous and determined fashion, involving reconcentration in a modified form, the application of martial law in all directions and the unsparing pursuit and punishment of the nathe United States.

growing nearly twice as rapidly as Treadway and Dan Allen on the other the rest of the country. The per Five of the men were armed with pis states living in large cities in nearly three times as great as the corresponding per cent in the south; the officer at one time and fined Brewer north has a rate of increase no in a pistel case. Both Dan and Newell greater than that of the south. The Brewer are so badly wounded that faster than those of the same size in Robert Lynch, Lucien Treadway and the south, but this difference is bal- Dan Allen are also dangerously wound anced by an extremely rapid growth ed, but will recover. of small towns and cities in the south, and especially by the high rate of increase of southern rural No Limit Placed on the Speeches in population.

The interstate commerce commis-

sion last week transmitted to congress its fifteenth annual report. trial Friday afternoon, and the argu-The commission renews its recommendations for increased powers. house products and the movement the prosecution. Judge Cantrill or of grain and grain products, the commission says: "That the leading traffic officials of many of the ports that some of the mountaineers principal railway lines, men occupy- in attendance on the trial were threat ing high positions and charged with ening to create trouble. the most important duties, should deliberately violate the statute law of the land, and, in some cases, agree with each other to do so; that it should be thought by them necessary to destroy vouchers and to so mail makes a big difference in the The census report on cotton seed manipulate bookeeping as to oblitermanufacture in 1900 shows that ate evidence of the transactions; there were 357 establishments for that hundreds of thousands of dolthe extraction of cotton seed oil in lars should be paid in lawful rethe United States, using 2,497,386 bates to a few great packing houses; 632,616, an average cost of \$11.55 portation, the most important, but cuffs Pete Colgan, the chief witness ments, should to such an extent be One of the most disastrous min- conducted in open disregard of law, head of two and three-year-old trotters ing the year was \$121,108,637.

Wm. H. Hoffmeister suicided at chief supporters of the Boer cause in of Oil City, Pa., will be a cripple St. Louis by shooting himself with arrest on a charge of robbing a store England are the Germans, who are for life through the carelessness of a revolver. The act was due to diseleaning a pair of gloves on her appointment over his defeat for suburgher troops and their wives and hands with gasoline near a burning preme recorder of the Legion of Honor.

A mob stopped a court trial at ish West Indies from Denmark to Queenstown, Ind. Harley Osborn days in jail for assaulting Fred T. Bal-

Kentucky Intelligence.

WOMEN DISFRANCHISED.

The Bill to That Effect Passed the Kentucky House.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 25 .- Senate .merce has made a favorable report | The senate Thursday passed the Bools double liability repeal bill, doing away with the double liability cause of the statutes as to all corporations except southern factories in 1900, accord- banks, trusts and insurance companies. Among the bills reported by the house ris bill to return to the viva voce sys-

> House,-Bills adopted: To give magistrates and police courts final jurisdiction in local option cases; to reduce the amount of fine for violation of local option laws to \$100, so that magistrates and police courts will have final jurisdiction; to take from women of cities of the second class-Lexington, Covington and Newportthe right to vote in school elections; to prohibit the use of any textbooks to not give full credit for the naval victory at Santiago to Adm. W. S (dem.) introduced a joint resolution condemning the action of President Roosevelt in sending a special envoy as the representative of this country

> > KENTUCKY FEUD.

A Fight Took Place Which May Result in a Triple Murder.

London, Ky., Jan. 25 .- News was re cived here Friday evening of a bloody ight on Buck creek, Owsley county tives who act as spies and traitors to Seven men were engaged in the battle six of whom were wounded. The par The census report shows that the ticipants were Dan and Newell Brewer and Robert Lynch, on one side arge cities taken collectively are and George Scott, and Lucien and John cent of the population of northern tols and two with knives. The cause of the trouble was an old grudge exist ng between Newell Brewer and George Scott, the latter having been a county cities in the north are growing much their recovery is improbable, and Scott's wounds may also prove fatal.

THE ARGUMENTS BEGUN.

the Jim Howard Case.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 25 .- The testimony was closed in the Jim Howard ments were begun. The developments of the day were unimportant. limit has been placed on the speeches. Referring to recent investigations and it is probable that there will be made into the movement of packing four for the defense and three for dered that all spectators be searched for arms on entering the court room This is said to have been due to re

More Fraud Orders.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 25,-Postmas ter Clay Elkin has received fraud or ders against six additional investmen companies, running their total up to 15. The order to stop the companies post office receipts and the amount of mail handled.

Attempt to Kill a Witness.

Pineville, Jan. 25 .- Geo. Gray, the al leged Middlesboro robber, while hand cuffed and in the custody of an offi-

Young Trotters.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 25.-Sixteen Axtell and his famous young son Kobin, who has a record of 2:28 to his

Elopers Married.

Petersburg, Ky., Jan. 25 .- Thomas Randall, 24, a wealthy farmer in this J. I. McWethy, another farmer, eloped and were married at the residence of Dr. J. M. Grant.

Buying Bluegrass Land.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 25 .- George H. Whitney purchased 154 acres of bluegrass land on the Russell Cave pike,

Want Site For Public Building. Lawrenceburg, Ky., Jan. 25 .- The Lawrenceburg Business Men's club appointed a committee to get options on a site for a public building in this city

Charged With Robbing a Store. Columbia, Ky., Jan. 25 .- H. C. Simpson and Robert Anderson are under and the post office at Gentry's Mill, this county, last Saturday night.

Fined and Imprisoned.

Lexington, Ky, Jan. 25. - John Jenkins, an ex-member of the fire department, was fined \$100 and given 30

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 25 .- It was giv-Friday that the first of Charley Herr's get will shortly be offered for sale in

OUR DUTY TO CUBA.

The peace of Cuba is necessary to the peace of the United States; the health of Cuba is necessary to the health of the United States; the independence of Cuba is necessary to the safety of the United States. The same considerations which led to the war with Spain now require that a commercial arrangement be made under which Cuba can live .- Secretary Root's

I most earnestly ask your attention to the wisdom, indeed, to the vital need, of providing for a substantial reduction in the tariff duties on Cuban imports into the United States. Cuba has in her Constitution affirmed what we desired, that she should stand, in international matters, in closer and more friendly relations with us than with any other power; and we are bound by every consideration of honor and expediency to pass commercial measures in the interest of her material well-being. - President Roosevelt's Message.

Efficacious.

"Can't something be done, Maria," whis-pered the host, "to make the time pass more

'I'll try," whispered the hostess. Then, turning to those near her, she said. in a voice loud enough to be heard through out the room, "in about half an hour from now Miss Howler will favor the company with a song. Chicago Tribune.

No one seems to have too much sense to entertain that uncomfortable feeling that a friend is "mad," when the friend is too busy, or bothered, to smile and chatter like monkey .- Atchison Globe,

Wife of President Jakeman of Elders of the Mormon Church. Salt Lake City, Utah, Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound For Woman's Periodic Pains.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM :- Before I knew of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I dreaded the approach of the time for my menstrual period, as it would mean a couple of



MRS. HULDA JAKEMAN

fering. I was under the physicians care for over a year without any relief when my attention was called to Lwis E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound by several of our Mormon women who had been cured through its use. I began its systematic use and improved gradually in health, and after the use of six bottles my health was completely restored, and for over two years I have had neither ache or pain. You have a truly wonderful remedy for women. Very sincerely yours, Mrs. HULDA JAKEMAN, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Just as surely as Mrs. Jakeman was cured just so surely will Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure every woman suffering from any form of female ills.

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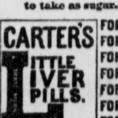
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Rear Admiral and Mrs. W.S. Schley Given a Tumultuous Welcome to Chicago.

THE GALLANT SAILOR DEEPLY MOVED.

Me Said It Was as Great a Reward as Could be Hoped For on This Earth-The Admiral In For a Busy Time During His Stay In the Windy City.

Chicago, Jan. 25,-Rear-Admiral W. S. Schley arrived in Chicago to-day at 9:30 a. m., and was greeted with a tumultuous acclaim from thousands | negro laborer from New Orleans. of people who crowded the Baltimore & Ohio depot and thronged nearby streets for blocks. His reception here was the culmination of the demonstrations in his honor which have occurred all along the route from Washington.

Admiral Schley, accompanied by Mrs. Schley, were met in their private car at South Chicago an hour before the train arrived in the city proper. The delegation represented the city and the Hamilton club, whose guest the admiral will be during his stay here, which ends Tuesday morning.

The trip has been uneventful," said the "hero of Santiago." "But I have been deeply moved by the demonstrations of the people along the route. You know, it moves me so I can scarcely speak to see the little hands waving at me from the small depot platforms. I love the little

As the train drew into the outskirts of the city, factory whistles blew their wildest notes and squads of people rushed down every street leading to the tracks, and waved their hands. Whenever possible the admiral answered back through the



REAR ADMIRAL SCHLEY. windows of his car, bowing his head

and fluttering a handkerchief. Mrs. Schley seemed to enjoy the demonstration even more than her distinguished husband.

I did not sleep very well last night," said the admiral in a moment when the crowd along the way was not engaging his attention. "You know a train don't rock the way a ship does. It's too jerkey-and the whistles-they would wake the dead. But I feel in first-class health and I suit Against the Port Huron Savings hope to survive these many yearswell, at least five days, for I want to finish my itinerary.'

A reporter ventured the remark, referring to the shouting crowds, that the admiral "had it all coming to him."

"It is as great a reward as can be remarked, half to himself. "But in we have done, I mean, and punishment for our misdeeds."

A double line of policemen stood at the depot when the admiral alightened, but they were unable to restrain the crowd which straightway went wild at the sight of the easilyrecognized goatee which showed above the heads of the guards as an THE MANCHURIAN TREATY. unmistakable mark of the wearer's identity.

A delegation of school children, waving flags, greeted the visitor at the further end of the station. He bowed to them and waved his hand. The municipal council's resolutions were presented and the admiral and within a week. Diplomats here do Mrs. Schley were driven through not manifest much interest in it, as demonstrative throngs to their they do not believe any written apartments-the "presidential suite" treaties will in the slightest degree at the Auditorium annex. Here Mr. affect the policy of Russia in Man-Schley retired to don his "shore churia. A separate contract with togs," as he expressed it.

At 11 a. m. he was given a breakfast by the reception committee of railroads and mines. the Hamilton club and enjoyed himself in an informal manner. Later in the day the admiral attended a reception at the Press club, where he met many of the newspaper fraternity, including a number of war correspondents whom he had met in Cuba. This was followed by receptions at the Booster club, of which the famous sailor is a member, and at the Hamilton club.

At a reception in the Fine Arts hall Admiral Schley was met by the men who, in the evening were guests at ander, a colored messenger in the ofthe Hamilton club's "Schley ban fice of Maj. P. C. Stevens, paymaster quet." Resolutions expressing the of the United States army, has been highest esteem and appreciation of arrested on the charge of stealing the admiral and of his services to his government funds amounting to \$4,country were presented by Judge 769, which mysteriously disappeared Shield were gathered around a stove, in the quest for the missing British Axel Chytraus in behalf of the Swedish societies of Chicago,

The banquet at night was the rowning feature of the demonstration in honor of the famous sea fighter. It was held in the massive banquet hall of the Auditorium and covers were laid for 700 guests.

When asked regarding his speech, Admiral Schley said he had not prepared anything because he seldom spoke more than 15 words and preparation was not necessary.

BIG FIRE IN MOBILE, ALA.

A Loss of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars In the Wholesale Business District.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 25.-Fire in the wholesale business district destroyed property to the value of at least \$300,000 and caused the death of Richard H. Vidmer, a leading society man of Mobile, and Bat Thomas, a

Three firemen were injured, two slightly and one painfully. Mr. Vidmer and Thomas were assisting the firemen and were caught by falling walls. Mr. Vidmer was a prominent Hoo-Hoo and was once vice-gerent snark for Alabama.

The firms which suffered are: Michael & Lyons, wholesale grocers; building and stock completely destroyed.

H. Piser & Co., wholesale hides; building and stock destroyed. Drago Grain Co., building badly

damaged, stock slightly. Swift & Co., packers; building and stock complete loss. F. S. McCoy, sugar manufacturer;

stock and building damaged. Mobile Cider & Vinegar Co., slight damage to building and stock.

F. Gomez, stoves and tinware; stock damaged by water. Green's tinsmith shop, slightly

The fire broke out on the second floor of the Michael & Lyons Grocery Co., in the office occupied by E. Holzborn & Co., cotton brokers.

FATALITIES IN ALASKA.

Grist of Crime and Casualty News Brought From Alaska By the Steamer Alki.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 25 .- Two assaults by robbers, three accidental Dawson resident and three people far tally injured by other means, is the list of fatalities reported from Alaska by the steamer Alki. James Murphy, of Wrangal, fell over a cliff on Traders' island and plunged to his death 100 feet down a rocky chasm. Charles Nelson was killed in a mine on Chicago hill, Dawson, De-

Mexican mine on Douglas island on anuary 11, and Harry Gilbert was seriously injured at the same mine on January 9.

Joseph Lieberman fell from the railroad tracks, near Douglas, on the night of January 12, and was seriously and perhaps fatally injured.

Eva Williams was assaulted in a Dawson saloon, on the night of January 11 by a man known as Harry Forbes and probably fatally injured. P. N. Sattey and James Pianetti were assulted and robbed, on Douglas

island, on January 11, and received serious injuries. W. A. Speake, a leading citizen of Dawson, died at St. Mary's hospital at

that place. KNIGHTS OF MACCABEES.

Bank Growing Out of C. D. Thompson's Defalcation.

Fort Huron, Mich., Jan. 25 .- Suit has been begun by the supreme tent of the Knights of the Maccabees, against the Port Huron savings bank to recover judgment in the sum of hoped for on this earth," the admiral \$100,000. The actual amount which the plaintiffs seek to recover is but the streets above, boys, we shall all \$50,000. This action is the result of be judged, and will receive our prop- the recent troubles precipitated upon er reward-the rewards for the good the supreme tent by C. D. Thompson, the self-confessed defaultening

finance keeper of the order. Thompson was also teller of the Port Huron savings bank, and the suit is an outgrowth of alleged manipulation of the funds of the order through the bank.

It is Expected to Be Signed Within

a Week, But It Won't Affeet Russin's Policy.

Pekin, Jan. 25 .- It is expected that the Manchurian treaty will be signed the Russo-Chinese bank secures to the bank complete control of the

No Peace Proposals.

London, Jan. 25 .- A. J. Balfour, the government leader, declares that, since the negotiations between Lord Kitchener and Gen. Botha, no proposals having in view the termination of the war had been received away. The church was filled to its from anyone professing to have the authority of the Boer leaders to make proposals.

Messenger Arrested.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 25 .- J. H. Alexfrom the satchel of Maj. Stevens November 8 last.

William Strother Confesses to the Murder of A. Dean Cooper at St. Louis.

BROKE DOWN UNDER SWEATING PROCESS

Little by Little Chief of Detectives Wormed Admissions Out of the Culprit Until He Finally Confessed that He Struck the Blow that Caused Cooper's Death.

St. Louis, Jan. 25 .- William Strother, the negro bathhouse attendant, has confessed that he murdered his employer, A. Dean Cooper, Wednesday night. He said he committed the deed in drunken passion.

The confession was made to Chief of Police Desmond, Saturday morning, after two hours' questioning.

It became evident shortly after eight o'clock, when the chief renewed his inquisition, begun Friday morning, that Strother was upon the point of breaking down.

At ten o'clock, the hour for the coroner's inquest to open, Strother made the final admission which completes the chain and shows him to be the murderer.

He said that he took the hammer in one hand, lifted it high in the air and brought it down on the head of Mr. Cooper, who was asleep on the

"I don't know why I done it," said Strother. "I guess I must have been drunk and mad."

The confession was made to Chiefs Kiely and Desmond and a police stenographer. The stenographer was ordered to transcribe the complete cross-examination. Strother said he would sign the record.

Later Chief Desmond said he would deaths, the passing of a prominent immediately send Strother to the coroner's office. Strother had said he would repeat his confession to the coroner's jury.

Dr. Boogher, assigned by the coroner to conduct the inquest, when informed of Strother's confession, stated that the inquest would proceed as originally planned and that Andrew Forsburg was killed in the Strother's confession would be heard at the end of the inquiry.

HORSE SUPPLY DEPLETED.

No Longer Any Large Bands of Horses in Montana-South African Demand the Cause.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 25 .- A conservative estimate of the number of horses shipped from Montana last year places the number at 100,000. The British call for mounts for South Africa has resulted in thousands of head of stock leaving the state. The result is that there are now fewer horses in this state than ever before, indeed, there are no large bands, and unless there is a movement of horses to Montana from the south there is certain to be a horse famine in this state next year. Before the a cayuse could be seen on every hill. To-day it is possible to drive for 50 miles across the country without seeing a horse.

MEN WANTED A LONG TIME.

Outlaws Captured In the Kaw Reservation in Oklahoma Have a Peice On Their Heads.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 25 .- The outlaws captured in the Kaw reservation by Newkirk officers turn out to be men wanted a long time by the authorities-Bob Sims and Robert Reed. They were armed with Krag-Jorgensens, using steel bullets. Deputy Sheriff Briggs, who was wounded in a fight at Anadarko, will visit Newkirk to identify the outlaws. There is a reward of \$9,000 for the capture of the Anadarko highway-

WAS A SMART WEDDING.

Marriage of Lord Staverdale and Lady Helen Vane-Tempest-Stewart in London.

London, Jan. 25.-The marriage of Lord Staverdale, eldest son of the fifth earl of Ilchester, and Lady Helen Vane-Temptest-Stewart, only daughter of the marquis of Londonderry, took place at St. Peter's church, Eaton square, Saturday. The ceremony was one of the smartest affairs of the kind seen in London for years past. The primate of all Ireland, Most Rev. William Alexander, archbishop of Armagh, officiated. Lord Londonderry gave his daughter

capacity. Modus Vivendi Extended.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 25.-An order in council has been passed extending for the year 1902 the modus vivendi States regarding fishing vessels.

Six Children Injured.

New Whatcom, Wash., Jan. 25 .-While the six children of Robert a water tank, which had frozen, exploded, injuring all of them.

OTHERWISE UNNOTICED.

Burglars looted the New Ross (Ind.) post office, Friday, and secured \$200. Twenty-one lives were lost by the Lost Creek (Ia.) mine explosion Fri- Twenty-One Dead and Nine Injured

David Marshall, a stranger, believed to be from St. Louis, was found dead in his bed in Yoakum, Tex.

A New York company is trying to obtain a contract to construct an electric railroad at Shanghai, China. The three-year-old child of Henry

Hoover, near Kuhn's landing, Ind., was killed by falling from a counter. M. Santos-Dumont has everything readiness to start on his flight across the Mediterranean from Monte Carlo

Reorganization of the Chinese government, with the aid of foreign experts, is strongly urged by some of- ing, taken from the improvised ficials of that country.

Christian Fritz, a widower, 80 years of age, was suffocated in a fire which started from some unknown cause in aster in the history of Iowa. When his room at St. Louis.

Charles Brown, colored, is under arrest at Wichita, Kas., for the murder of Manuel Hall in Union parish, nition, and could only be identified by La., in December, 1900.

At Watonga, Okla., the five-yearold daughter of John Sober was burned to death by her dress ignit- announced. ing from a spark from a stove.

Admiral Schley's appeal from the finding of the court of inquiry has navy department for "comment."

A Catholic newspaper at Pittsburg, Pa., defends Charles Schwab's action

The ccroner's jury holds railroad accident in New York which caused 17 deaths, and indictments may fol-

In accordance with the request of the prince, Rear-Admiral Evans has been appointed to escort Prince Henry on his tour through the United

Julius Yaeger, Jr., hanged himself money he had stolen from his em-

Joseph F. Cozenve has been arrested at Bay St. Louis, Miss., at the request of officers at Shawnee,Okla., on the charge of forgery. He says he is

New York is arranging to give a grand ball in honor of the visit of Prince Henry of Prussia, similar to prince of Wales in 1860.

F. W. Taylor, for 25 years foreman of the Illinois Central shops at Water Valley, Ill., fell on a barbed-wire fence, near that town, and almost found. Coroner Foehlinger of Oskadisemboweled himself.

Secretary Stevens of the St. Louis be used by the exposition and subseas an emblem.

Promptly Started Westward.

New York, Jan. 25 .- Henry St. John Dix, accused of embezzling \$25,000 from the Scandivavian-American bank of Whatcom, Wash., and who was arrested recently in London, arrived here to-day in charge of Sheriff W. J. Brisbin, of Whatcom county, on board the steamer St. Paul. Sheriff Brisbin and his prisoner started immediately for the west.

Wiping Out Plague Spots.

New York, Jan. 25 .- A raid or unusual proportions was made by nearbottom fell out of the horse market | ly 100 policemen, Friday night. Several notorious resorts on the Bowery were closed, and 32 prisoners locked up. The large number of policemen on the scene prevented any outbreak of violence.

Shortage of Peanuts.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 25 .- The stock of Virginia peanuts held by Norfolk commission houses is only 8,000 bags, as against 100,000 bags at this time last year. This is stated in the annual review of the market by Holmes & Dawson, the highest authority in the trade.

Severe Storm in Wyoming.

Chevenne, Wyo., Jan. 25 .- A severe snow and wind storm is in progress in southern Wyoming. Snow is falling and the wind is increasing in velocity. The temperature is falling rapidly and from appearances the storm will assume the proportions of a blizzard.

Located in Utah.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 25 .- From friends in Chicago, Edward S. Grece, of this city, has just learned that R. Senanayaka, the Ceylon tea merchant who had been reported to the Chicago police as missing, is still in Utah, where he went to investigate irrigation.

Richmond P. Hobson.

Washington, Jan. 45 .-- A naval retiring board has declined to recommend the retirement of Capt. Richmond P. Hobson, and he has been ordered to return to duty in connection with the Charleston (S. C.) exposition, where he has charge of the naval ex-

Bloody Fight in Kentucky. London, Ky., Jan. 25 .- News was

received here, Friday evening, of a bloody fight on Buck creek, Owsley county. There were seven men engaged in the battle, with knives and between Canada and the United pistols, of whom six were wounded.

Searching For the Condor. San Francisco, Jan. 25 .- The United States revenue cutter McCulloch, Capt. W. A. Falling, has left to join gunboat Condor, long overdue at

Honolulu from Victoria.

the Results of Friday's Calamity in Iowa.

THE WORST IN THE STATE'S HISTORY.

The Effects of the Explosion Were Something Terrific, the Wholesale Destruction Retarding the Efforts at Rescue In a Measurable Degree.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 25-Twentyone dead bodies were, Saturday mornmorgue in shaft No. 2 of the Lost Creek Coal Mining Co., of this place, as the result of the worst mining disbrought to the surface they presented a horrible sight. Some of the bodies were mangled beyond recogsome trinket or something found in their pockets. The 11 injured are improving and no additional deaths are

Coroner Foehlinger, of Oskaloosa, is holding an inquest to determine who is to blame for the disaster. The been referred by the president to the trouble was caused by an explosion of dust ignited by a shot too heavily charged. It proved to be what miners call a "screamer." To be more in gambling at Monte Carlo, and, in- clear, the shot, when exploded, incidentally, games of chance general- stead of knocking down the coal, fires straight out into the room. This kind of a shot causes much dust, and the officials responsible for the tunnel flames coming into contact with the dust usually furnishes an explosion.

WAS SIMPLY TERRIFIC.

The Effects of the Explosion Retarded the Work of Rescue.

Lost Creek, Ia., Jan. 25 .- In the accident of Friday the effect was simply terrific. The tracks were torn up and the guides for the cages were in his father's barn at Oakville, St. blown away. On this account they Louis county, Mo., after restoring could not be used to ventilate the mine immediately. All the entry doors were blown completely out, and no system of ventilation could be arranged until the doors were replaced by volunteers, and it was almost certain death to go into the mine.

As soon as the cages could be operated, volunteers stepped forward. The first man to enter the mine was Jap Trimbrell, general superintendthe function given in honor of the ent of the mine. He was eagerly followed by many others, who took their turns in going to the relief of the victims. As soon as the mine was fully explored 20 dead bodies were loosa was on the ground and took World's Fair Co. has commissioned them to be taken to the company's the Artists' guild to design a flag to store about a mile distant. Here an improvised morgue was established quently to be transferred to the city and the bodies were received wrapped in blankets. The coroner did not deem it advisable to expose them to

the view of the crowd. The Lost Creek mine, where the accident occurred, is about ten miles south and one mile east of Oskaloosa, and three miles northeast of Eddyville. It is owned by the Lost Creek Coal and Mining Co., of which C. E. Laughlin, H. L. Spencer, Jeff Timbrell, F. E. Green and O. S. Ellis are the chief stockholders. The property has been successfully operated a number of years. The shaft where the accident is No. 2, and has been operated about eighteen months. It has been thought perfectly safe. The ventilation is perfect, the only possible fault ever found being that it was a little dusty at times.

The explosion occurred east and north of the shaft, in the east entries, and almost all in that part of the mine were killed or hurt. All the miners on the west side escaped injury and got out of the mine; in fact, some did not know of the accident till called on for help.

Another Victim.

Lost Creek, Ia., Jan. 25.-The list of dead in the Lost Creek mine explosion now numbers 22. Oliver Mable died this forenoon. He had his arm broken and was terribly burned

about the face and head. Railroad Company Chartered.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 25 .- The Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf Railroad Co. has been chartered here, with a capital of \$1,000,000, to construct a line from Guthrie to Holdenville, I. T., with a branch line from Chandler to Shawnee, Okla.

Killed In a Railroad Wreck. Leadville, Col., Jan. 25 .- A freight wreck on the Rio Grande railroad at Pando, 20 miles west of Leadville, re-

sulted in the death of Engineer J. P. Reddy and Fireman Healy, both of Salida. Brakeman Kelly was badly injured.

Judge Edmunds Dead.

St. Louis, Jan. 25 .- Judge Henry Littleton Edmunds died at his home, Saturday morning, from an acute disease of the stomach, from which he had suffered for some time. He occupied the bench in the criminal court from 1888 to 1896.

A Typical Spanish Gunboat.

Vigo, Spain, Jan. 25 .- The obsolete Spanish gunboat Condor has been towed into this port in a damaged condition, due to the explosion of her boiler, which killed two men and injured nine.

Hardest Snow Of the Winter.

Abilene, Kas., Jan. 25 .- The hardest snow storm of the winter began this morning and indicates a heavy fall over central Kansas.

THE WEEK'S BANK CLEARINGS.

Total Clearings, with Increase and Decrease, in the Principal Cities of the Country.

New York, Jan. 25 .-- The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at 68 of the principal cities for the week ending January 24, with the percentages of increase and decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year:

CITIES.

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Now York	4 1 400 140 00		7.0
New York Chicago Boston	1,400,148,880	27.7	1.0
Boston	136 267 526	9 4	
Philadelphia	117,481,413	20.6	
St. Louis	52.842.166	36.1	
Pittsburg		48.1	
Pittsburg Baltimore San Francisco Cincinnati Kansas City Minneapolis Cleveland New Orleans Detroit Louisville Indianapolis Providence Omaha	25,630,788	21.1	
San Francisco	21,495,520	16.6	4.1
Kapsas City	20,379,100 20,681,978	95. 7	4.1
Minneapolis	13,833,453	25.7 45.5	
Cleveland	12,558,975	10.2	
New Orleans	16,203,822	15.1	
Detroit	17,886,133	82.2	
Louisville	10,039,535	13.7	
Indianapolis	10,044,614	28.8	
Omaha	8,029,200	23.1	
Milwanicee	2,414,555	13.1	
Omaha Milwaukee Buffalo St. Paul Savannah Denver	6,803,634 4,642,656	5.9	
St. Paul	5,254,273	12.3	
Savannah	3,884,341		21.2
Denver	5,081,165	14.4	
St. Joseph	4,956,685	21 9	
Memphia	3,831,802 3,851,739 2,821,282 3,066,864		7.6
Seattle	3,851,739		
Washington	3,066,864	1.9	
Hartford	2,620,384	7.0	
Los Angeles	4,057,689	39.7	
Salt Lake City	3,040,070	5.8	
Toledo	2,469,412	2519 . 1 1	
Portland, Ore	2,384,931 2,198,938	24.8	
Savannah Denver St. Joseph Richmond Memphis Seattle Washington Hartford Los Angeles Salt Lake City Toledo Portland, Ore Rochester Peoria Fort Worth Atlanta Norfolk	2,198,938	14.1	
Fort Worth	3,046,504 2,884,135	36.1	23.6
Atlanta	2,784,358		6.4
Norfolk	1,399,600	2.7 12.7	6.4
Norfolk Des Moines New Haven Springfield, Mass. Augusta Nashville Worcester Grand Rapids Sioux City Dayton, O Syracuse	1,669,324	12.7	
New Haven	1,647,511	8.41	
Augusta Mass	1,528,694 1,730,152	24.0	
Nashville	1,730,152	42.3	
Worcester	1,791,844 1,571,003	17.6	
Grand Rapids	1,727,390	30.1	
Sioux City	1,580,119	25.3	
Dayton, O	1,437,730 1,369,301	20.9	
Syracuse	1,369,301	20.9	
Scranton	1,365,000 1,389,209		3.3
Spokane	1,383,203	19.8	
		1.2	
Willemin met an Thei	1,097,369 1,098,964	13.9	
Davenport	1,401,219	10.8	
Fall River	1,085,084	37.8	
Davenport Fall River Birmingham Topeka	1,181,218 1,395,710 7,454,800	29.6	
*Columbus O	7,395,710	20.4	
*Galveston	9,863,000	19.8	
Topeka *Columbus, O *Galveston *Houston Albany Montreal	12,391,499	13.2	
Albany	12,391,499 3,205,052	16.6	
Montreal	16,805,442	10.0	
Toronto	13,771,790	28.0	
Toronto Winnipeg Halifax	2,936,447	56.0	
†Quebec	1,716,713	8.4	
Ottawa	1,716,713 1,192,112 1,802,728		
-	1,002,120		
* Not included in	totals becaus	se con	tain-

f Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.

†Not included in totals because of no comparison for last year.

Visit to Be Extended. Berlin, Jan. 25 .- It has been settled that Prince Henry will remain in the United States until March 13 instead of March 8, as originally planned. He will probably return to Germany on board the imperial yacht Hohenzol-

Weekly Bank Statement.

New York, Jan. 25.-The statement of the associated banks for the week ending to-day shows: o-day snows: Loans, \$869,942,600; increase, \$2,413,500. Deposits, \$949,666,800; increase, \$10,944,600. Circulation, \$31,712,900; decrease, \$281,700. Legal tenders, \$76,857,900; increase, \$281,~

Specie, \$185,891,200; increase, \$8,715,900. Reserves, \$262,749,100; increase, \$9,007,100. Reserve required, \$237,416,700; increase, \$2.

Surplus, \$25,332,400; increase, \$6,270,950. Stage of the Rivers

Stage of the Rivers.			
Stations.	Gauge	Change 24 hours	Rainfail in 24 hrs
Pittsburg	2.5	0.8	.04
St. Louis Evansville	1.6	0.0	.04
Memphis	4.0 .	-0.2 0.2	.02
Cairo New Orleans	10.5	0.6 0.1	.02

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THE MARKETS.

SATURDAY, Jan. 25. Grain and Provisions. St. Louis — Flour — Patents, \$4.00@4.10; other grades, \$3.30@3.90. Wheat—No. 2 red. 85½@89c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 62@62½c. Oats—No. 2, 48@48½c. Hay—Timothy, \$12.60@14.50. Butter — Creamery, 19@24½c; dairy, 15@20c. Eggs—Fresh, 22c. Lard—Choice steam, 9.22½c. Pork—New mess, \$15.35@16.70. Bacon—Clear ribs, 9½@9½c; Wool—Tub-washed, 14@24c; Missouri and Illinois medium combing, 16½@17½c; other grades, 14@17c.

Grades, 14911c.

Chicago—Closing quotations: Wheat—January, 74%c; May, 78%c; July, 78c. Corn.—January, 58%c; May, 61%g61%c; July, 61%; September, 60%g66%c. Oats—January, 43c; May, 44c; July, 39; September, 33%c. Pork—January, \$16.02%; May, \$16.37%; July, \$16.47%. Lard—January, \$9.35; May, \$9.50; July, \$9.62%. Ribs—January, \$3.35; May, \$8.55; July, \$8.55.

Indianapolis—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$7@88c; No. 3 red, \$4@86c. Corn—No. 2 white, 63½c; No. 2 yellow, 62c. Oats—No. 2 white, 49@49½c. Hay—Timothy, \$10.50@12.25.

Live Stock Markets. St. Louis—Cattle—Fancy exports, \$6.250 \$.00; butchers, \$4.50@6.10; stockers, \$2.00@6.75; cows and heifers, \$2.50@5.00. Hogs—Packing, \$5.75@6.25; butchers', \$6.15@6.50; light, \$4.70@6.25. Sheep—Mutton sheep, \$3.75@4.75; lambs. \$4.50@6.25.

Chicago-Cattle-Good to prime steers, Chicago—Cattle—Good to prime steers, 1.50@7.25; poor to medium, \$4.00@6.00; ockers and feeders, \$2.25@4.50; cows, \$1.00 1.60; heifers, \$2.25@5.00; canners, \$1.25@5.5; calves, \$2.50@6.50; Texas fed steers, 4.00@6.00. Hogs—Mixed and butchers', \$5.90@6.40; good to choice heavy, \$6.30@6.50; rough heavy, \$6.00@6.25; light, \$5.60@6.15. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$4.30@4.75; fair to choice mixed, \$3.75@4.50; western sheep, \$4.00@5.15; native lambs, \$3.50@5.85; western lambs, \$5.00@6.80.

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Kansas City—Cattle—Native steers, \$5.00
@6.75; Texas and Indian steers, \$4.00@5.50;
Texas cows, \$2.50@4.25; native cows and heifers, \$2.75@5.25; stockers and feeders, \$3.50@4.75; calves, \$4.00@6.25. Hogs—Heavy, \$6.45@6.45; medium, \$6.00
@6.45; light, \$5.50@6.20; yorkers, \$5.35@6.00.
Sheep—Muttons, \$4.00@5.20; lambs, \$5.50@6.00; western wethers, \$4.50@5.00; ewes, \$4.00@4.50.

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Indianapolis — Cattle — Good to prime steers, \$6.00@6.20. Hogs—Good to prime heavies, \$6.35@6.55; mixed and heavy packing, \$6.00@6.35. Sheep—Good to choice lambs, \$5.00@5.85; good to choice sheep,

Cotton.

Quotations for middling range as follows: St. Louis, 7%c; New York, 85-16c; Memphis, 713-16c.

Financial.

New York, Jan. 25.—Money on call nominal; no loans. Prime mercantile paper, 405 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers bills at 48/0/487½ for demand, and at 48½ 0/484½ for 60 days. Posted rates, 485 and 488. Commercial bills, 483½ 0/484½. Parsilver, 15½c. Mexican dollars, 44½c. State bonds steady. Railroad bonds steady. Government bonds steady.

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Goods are eing Sold by O'Bryan for less than Wholesale Prices

These goods were bought at from 30 to 50 cents on the dollar, which enables me to sell you GOOD, STYLISH, SEASONABLE, DRY GOODS, CLOTHING and SHOES at less than the wholesale price.

Avail yourself of the opportunity of a lifetime and buy your goods at less than cost.

The Goods Are New. -010101010101010101010101

HERE ARE A FEW PRICES:

The Styles Are Correct.

Sho	oes.
Kittinger's Price.	O'Bryan's Price
\$2.25	\$1.60
3.00	2.50
2.50	2.00
2,25	1.60
1,50	1.10
1,25	.75
,50	.35
,75	.50
1.00	.65
2.25	1,00
2,75	1,25
5,00	3,75
3.50	2,75
Rubb Kittinger's Price.	O'Bryan's Price.
.50	.35
.75	.50
.35	.25
Job lot of Artic 6'c 50	

Hats. Kittinger's Price. O'Bryan's Price 1.00 1,50 1,50 1,50 Job lot of hat 25c 60c Cap for 35c 50c Cap for 35c

Slickers Waller's Price \$2,25 O'Bryan's Price \$1.00

Kittinger's Price		loaks O'Bryan's Pric
One Cloak	84,50	\$2,0
"	5,75	2,7
	11,25	6,5
"	3,75	1,5
"	7,50	4.0
"	2,00	.7
"	2,20	1,0
"	1,25	,2
**	2,75	1,0
"	3,75	2,0

Ladies Hats at one-half what the goods cost to make them.

Kittinger's Price O'Bryan's Price \$2,00 One Ladies Hat \$7,50 1,25 3,50 1,50 5,00 1,50 1,50 1,00 1,25 4,00 ,75 1,25 2,50 McIntoshes.

Waller's Price \$4 to \$7 O'Bryan's Price \$1,50 Umbrella's Kittinger's Price \$1,50 O'Bryan's Price \$1,00

Mens &	Boys Suits
Waller's Price	O'Bryan's Price
\$15,00	\$ 9,50
6,00	3,75
15,00	7,50
6,50	4,00
12,50	7,00
8,50	5,00
10,00	6,50
13,00	8,00
19,00	12,50
6,50	4,50
4,50	3,00
2,75	1,75
2,25	1,50 **
2,00	1,25
1,50	1,00
Brown Jeans, Wa	allers Price \$1,25 for 75c
Smoking Jacket	" 7,50 for \$1,50
7.	" 5,25 for 1,50

Shirts.

Cittinger's Price	O'Bryan's Price
\$1,00	75 ets
.75	50
.50	38
.50 work shir	rts 35
.50 overalls	35
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Raincoats.

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Kittinger's Price.	O'Bryan's Price	
\$2,00	81,25	
3,25	2,25	
4,50	2,85	

Laces Kittinger's Price O'Bryan's Price 5 cts 2 cts

Window Shades and Fixtures Waller's Price 85c O'Bryan's Price 50c 1.00

Miscellaneous Bargains

10c Heavy Ladies Hose for 5c 10c Heavy Mens Hose for 5c One lot of Silk Thread, 70 yards to the spool, at le each or 6 for 5c. Mens Collars 5c each Stair pads 3c each Curtain poles 15c each, with trimmiugs Clarks O N T thread, 2 spools for 7c or 7 for 25

25c Fine Toilet Soap for 13c \$3,50 Piano Covers for \$1,00 2.75 1,00 All Calico 4c per yard

Will sell Mens Overcoats less than ever this

Will cut the price half on Boys Overcoats.

OPERA HOUSE BLO MARION, KY.

The Bress.

R. C. WALKER, - Publisher WALTER WALKER, Manager.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR CONGRESS. We are authorized to announce

OLLIE M. JAMES a candidate to represent the First Dis trict of Kentucky in Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

State Auditor Norman shows that the State Board of Equalization has added \$378,000 to the State revenue during the past five years and has cost only \$25,000 during that period.

d ctors vaccinated 15,000 people be extravagant, she can none the in six hours one day last week. It less afford to be parsimonions in would have taken the whole force this great conclave, where the sisof doctors that length of time to terhood of states gather to show catch a few of the non-orthodox to the world what nature, assisted vaccine citizens of Marion, much by a broad, progressive citizen. 1.ss vaccinate them. In fact, about Ship, has done, is doing, and may three citizens of this town would do for every nook and corner of have given the doctors a week's the country. Kentucky is a big. steady work.

zens from the various congressional dristricts are drafting a new road law to be presented to the legislature for enactment. Doubtless the present law can be improved greatly, but a sentiment that will move us to put more la bor or more money into the making of good roads is the one thing most needful in Kentucky. We are very prone to expect the law to furnish the means for road bull ding, while in truth the best law can only be the best plan for expending labor or money,

Salem is the pluckiest town in our mining district. She sees her opportunities and shows a disposition to grasp them.

The generous hospitality now being extended to Admiral Schley by the metropolis of the state shows where Kentucky would plunk her vote in a contest for the heroship of Santiago. When in her right mind Louisville can express the sentiment of all the com monwealth in royal style, and right now she is making a commendable show of her hoss sense and giving one an occasional glimpse of the speed of the noble district. Webster will be placed animal too.

Missouri has a delegation of her prominent citizens at Frankfort to ask for an appropriation from the legislature that Kentucky may be enabled to make a creditable showing of herself at the great St Louis fair. While our proud old One hundred and twenty Boston commonwealth can not afford to rich slice of the Union, and is proud of it. A moderate, sensible A committee of prominent citi- exhibition of this pride is both becoming and profitable.

Tax Supervisors.

The county board of tax supervisors, composed of Messrs G. P. Wilson, L. W. Cruce, J. L. Clifton, W. B. Rankin and R. S. Threl keld, completed their work of evamining the tax lists Friday. A raise of \$15,490 was made in the alrable of taxable property.

ier-Journal Almanac. On sale at state can not afford to go unrepre-Haynes' drug store.

REDISTRICTING STATE.

Webster County Taken Out of this District and Union Added.

The legislature is at work redistricting the State. Very few changes will be made. A number of the Senatorial districts will be rearranged. Webster county will probably be taken out of this district, composed of Crittenden, Caldwell and Webster counties, and Union county added to the o unties. The average population of the senatorial districts is 55,-

The joint committee on redistricting is now considering changes in the congressional districts. The changes suggested will take gin with the opening of spring. the county of Muhlenburg out of the Third congressional district and place it in the Second district and to take the county of Adair out of the Eleventh district and place it in the Third district.

Another plan is to take Chris tian county out of the Second dis trict and place it in the First dissrict. These changes would make So down I came, and they led the 800 majority.

Kentucky has been asked to make a good showing at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition next year in St. Louis. A bill is now before the legislature providing for an appropriation of \$200,000 for a state building and exhibit. The state is being visited this week by a party of prominent St. Louis citizens, all of whom formerly lived in Kentucky, for the richest blessings of heaven purpose of arousing interest in the rest upon you all. matter. These former Kentuckians who are on the scene of the Full of information is the Cour- big Fair declars that their native sented during the centennial.

BIC HOTEL AT SALEM

Also Bank and Storehouses --Company has \$10,000.

The citizens of Salem have or- sisting of the following: ganized a stock company and will Farming implements of all kinds. erect a \$10,000 brick building; the Horses, hogs and cattle. structure will be used as a hotel, One 14-horse power traction en bank and two storehouses. The project was started by A. J. One separator.

Gray, Tom George, Threlkeld & Hayden, and others, and before with Henderson and Hopkins night \$6,000 of the stock had been taken. Since that time the desired amount, \$10,000, has been subscribed. The company will be incorporated. Messrs Morton and Hearn are mining capitalists; the work on the big building will be-

A "Pounding."

Last Thursday, Jan. 23d, I was at work on my building on "Rochester Avenue," when two good women from the Mt. Zion and Repton neighborhoods drove up and gave me my orders to 'come down' the Third district Democratic by way to the parsonage. When there they gave orders to unload their buggies (and they were loaded, too) so out came meat, sausage, chickens, fruits, pickles, etc. until there was a great big pile. They then informed me that all this was a "pounding" that they had had laid up for us for some time; this was not from the Methodists alone but from my good Baptist friends and others. I desire to return my hearty thanks, and pray that the

Your friend and brother, J. O. Smithson,



Sale Notice.

I will on the 4th day of Febru ary, 1902, on home place of Mrs. Sarah E. Flanary, deceased, offer for sale at public auction to the highest and best bidder all of the personal property of Sarah E, and John E. Flanary, deceased, con-

Morton, D. Garth Hearn, Jesse One new 20-horse power portable

One standard new saw rig. One cut-off saw rig. One Edger saw cig.

Two barrels machine oil and mill supplies of various kinds. Terms made known on day of J. J. May, Adm'r.

Douglass Shoes.

\$3.50 for \$3.00. \$3.00 for \$2,65. \$2.50 for \$2.00.

P. H. Woods,

Town Lots for Sale,

I have a number of choice but ding lots in Marion for sale. Charles Evans.

Cough

"I have made a most thorough trial of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and am prepared to say that for all diseases of the lungs it never disap-J. Early Finley, Ironton, O.

Aver's Cherry Pectoral won't cure rheumatism; we never said it would It won't cure dyspepsia; we never claimed it. But it will cure coughs and colds of all kinds. We first said this sixty years ago; we've been saying it ever since.

Three sizes : 25c., 50c., \$1. All druggists

J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mas

TOLU.

Uncle Ike Kimsey, W. H. Harmon, and H. Young are on the sick list this

Bozeman Bros, have sold their large ine of groceries, dry goods, clothing, etc to O. T. Stone and O. E. Guess. The firm will be known as Stone & Guess. Miss Franks left Sunday for Hebron, where she began her spring term of

school Monday. Prof Wright will close his school Fri-

Esq. Moore and wife visited their son Or J. M. Moore of this place last week.

Card of Thanks.

To the people of Fords Ferry and vicinity who were so kind, willing and faithful in waiting on and attending to my dear wife in her last illness, I want to return my heartfelt thanks and gratitude. You will ever be remembered by me. Again I thank you.

Respectfully. Richard McCon



The Aress.

R. C. WALKER, - Publisher WALTER WALKER, Manager,

ONE DOLLAR UNK YEAR

Dr. Morris will be in Salem next

Mr. W. C. O'Bryan is in Illinois this week.

this month.

Mr. A. Dewey is in Indianapois this week.

Special sale of Rugs on next P. H. Woods.

A little child of Coleman Byford's died Thursday.

Mr. C. T. Wallace, of Sturgis, was in town last week.

Mr. R. M. Allen closed his school at Jackson Friday.

Mrs Farris, of Salem, visited friends in this city last week.

Dr. Richard Morris spent Satur day and Sunday in Uniontown.

Lon Jolly and Will Eberle, of Salem, were in town Saturday,

Look at my remnants on Tues-P. H. Woods.

Mr. Charles Rawlston, of Cald well Springs, was in town Satur-

Mr. Will Browning has moved into his new residence in South Marion.

Ollie James was in Paducah this week in the interest of his candidacy.

J. W. Givens, the butcher, kill ed a hog Monday that weighed 655 pounds net.

Pritchett, at Gladstone, pays more for eggs and chickens than any man in the county.

Mr R. M. Young, a stock buyer purpose of buying mules,

P. H. Woods

Miss Elizabeth Cecil, of Cecilian, the dancing teacher, has orga nized another class in this city.

Take your eggs and chickens to J. W. Pritchett, Gladstone, and get the highest price on the mar-

Mr. Robert Williams, the bar-

The Kohinoor laundry does good work. If you don't believe for Mexico City, where he has a it, give it a trial. Kearney Blue,

agent. Dr. Morris, the dentist, will be in Salem Monday, Tuesday, Wed. nesday and Thursday of next

week. Old J. B. T., a pure rye whisky for sale by C. E. Doss.

For lumber, doors, windows, shingles, lath, locks and hinges

get our prices. J. R. Clark Planing Mill Co.

days last week, but is able to out ning.

Miss Leaffa Wilborn has returned to her home in this city after closing a successful school at

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Miss Frances Gray returned to this city from Dycusburg Friday, where she has been engaged in teaching.

Bargains every day.

P. H. Woods.

Miss Rosa Kevil closed her school at Bordley, Union county, Friday, and returned to her nome in this city.

For flooring, ceiling, weatherboarding, window frames, windows, doors, or shingles go to Boston & Walker.

Examination for common school diplomas will be held today and tomorrow in this city, by county superintendent Paris.

Mrs. Nina Howerton.

All parties owing school tax in Marion District must pay same by Feb. 1st. On that day I will levy for all unpaid tax.

By order of board of trustees. H. A. Haynes, Treas,

M. Schwab has sold his stock of groceries to H. Koltinsky and A. M. Henry

There will be services at the C P. church next Sunday. All are The county schools are closing cordially invited to at tend

If you want cheap goods and high prices for eggs and chickens, call on Pritchett, at Gladstone.

laundry is far superior to that of any other laundry. A trial will Several other merchants suffer. convince you of this. Jas. Hicklin, Agent.

Rev J. F. Price informs us that his congregation at Shiloh, Webster county, are preparing to build a new church; \$2,000 has already been raised.

Messrs. Arthur Finley, Orr, Brasher and Givens, of Providence, attended the ball at the opera house in this city Friday eve-

Persons in Livingston county desiring dental work will find Dr. R. J. Morris, of this city, at the hotel in Salem next Monday, Tues day, Wednesday and Thursday.

Don't fail to get our prices on lumber, doors and sash.

J. R. Clark Planing Mill Co.

And there is not a case of small. pox in Marion. About 1,000 people have been vaccinated since Nov. 1, and there is now no material left for the disease to work

will please call on Henry Haynes R. Gibbs' residence on Main street and settle, as I need the money. will be in this city Monday for the Prompt settlement will be appre-J. H. Orme.

> Consolidated Quicksilver Compa. made Mr. Chester Cleghorn and ny of Pasadena, Cal., it is under. Miss Viola Woodall husband and stood that Senator Deboe has re- wife. The bride is the daughter cently been taking out handsome profits - Washington correspond- is one of our industrious young ence Courier-Journal

Rev R. C. Montgomery, of Paducah, preached at the Presbyterian church Sunday. Those who heard him were favorably impres- and highly respected lady, died at ber, is still confined to his room, sed. He will act as paster of the her home in this city Saturday suffering from muscular rhenma- Presbyterian church in this city evening after an illuess of several for the next twelve months

> Mr. Guy Griffith left last week position as teacher in one of the schools of the historic old city. His sister, Miss Alice Griffith, has been in Mexico two years, engaged in missionary work.

The best fitting Shoes, the best wearing, at the lowest prices. P. H. Woods.

The ball at the opera house Friday evening, was enjoyed by county, Elzie Grissom of Oklaho- buy mules 3 to 8 years old. a large number of young people. The orchestra of Goodwin & Noel's minstrels furnished the music Mr. Harry Oppenheimer, the and the dancing continued until ber of the Baptist church for over thing you buy. P. H. Woods. popular merchant, was ill several the early hours of Saturday mor. sixty years,

> Goodwin & Noel's Minstrels appeared at the opera house Friday night. The performance was rotten through and through. The aggregation secured an engagement with the manager of the opera house through the misrepresentation of its merits.

co, the temperance lecturer, did munity, and a man who numbers not appear at the C. P. church his friends by the score. Sunday evening as announced, owing to the inclement weather. Mr. Joseph Newcom and a young She delivered an address at the lady possessed of many gifts and Methodist church Monday even- graces, possessing as she does a

Louis L. Bebout, who was a candidate for the postmasisrship predicting for them a happy voyat Paducah, has returned from age o'er the sea of life. Washington and announced that he had given up the fight. F. M. Fisher, the incumbent, was reap-ROOMS FOR RENT.-I have pointed a few days ago, and Sena- learn, will make their future home our rooms that I wish to rent to tor Deboe threatened to fight the at Mr. Stanley's farm near this me gentleman and wife. No one appointment when it came up in th children need apply. Terms the senate for confirmation, but this action of Bebout's ends the 50, \$3.75 and \$4,50.

MUCH DAMAGE

By Rain, Snow and Sleet --- Telephone Lines Down.

The rain, sleet and snow of the past few days has done much dam age, The telephone lines are down all over the city, and the streets are covered with ice, making it very difficult to travel.

Faulty roofs on some of the bu siness houses are responsible for much damage to mercantile stock The work done by the Magnet Yandell-Gugenheim Co. and P. H Woods are the heaviest losers.

The Oratorical Contest.

The young people who are to compete for the medals in the annual oratorical contest of the school, to be held on Saturday, evening, Feb. 22d, were chosen tion, he enjoyed a large and lucraa few days ago. The contestants will be Misses Lillie Doss, Sadie Rankin, Leslie Woods, and Messrs Lester Terry and Lonnie Towery.

Prof. Charles Lane.

liant Constellation" lyceum course will be Prof. Charles Lane, of Atlanta, Ga., a noted and very popular humorist. He is known as the "Laughing Professor." Professor Lane will be heard at the opera house Monday night, Feb. 24th. in his lecture, "The Analysis of Laughter."

Married in a Buggy.

It was neither a quiet home marriage nor a church wedding that took place in town Sunday afternoon, but it was a real pleasant af-All persons knowing themselves fair on wheels. A party drove to indebted to me on drug accounts the sidewalk in front of Rev. W and that popular minister was informed that his services were desired, and in his usual good style All heavy goods at | wholesale | As a director of the Empire he pronounced the ceremony that Miss Lula Conyer. of Mr. C. C. Woodall, one of our well known farmers and the groom farmers.

Mrs. Rebecca Grissom Dead.

Mrs. Rebecca Grissom, an old weeks. The funeral services were held at the residence Sunday, conducted by Rev W. R. Gibbs. The remains were laid to rest in the family graveyard at the old Grissom farm,

Mrs. Grissom was seventy-nine years of age. She was the widow of Alexander Grissom, who died some twenty years ago. Four children survive her. They are Mrs James Hughes of this city, Chester Grissom, of Livingston Marion, Ky., Monday, Feb. 3rd to ma, and John B. Grissom of Hous ton, Texas.

Mrs Grissom was a faithful Bring your money to christian lady. She was a mem- will make it pay you on every-

Stanley---Newcomb.

Married, at the residence of Mr. Joseph Newcomb, near Repton, Jan. 22d_at 5 o'clock, p. m., Mr. J. H. Stanley to Miss Ella Newcom, the writer officiating.

Mr. Stanley is one of the most popular citizens of our neighborhood, as well as one of the most Mrs. Lila Moore, of New Mexi- prosperous farmers in this com-

whom every one says, "She is a model christian." We feel safe in

The marriage was a quiet affair, only the family and a few of their most intimate friends being present. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley, we C. E. Perryman.

P. H. Woods.

DR. W. S. CRAVES DEAD.

One of the County's Oldest and Most | Conducting a Series of Meetings Highly Respected Citizens.

At his home at Dycusburg, sur counded by friends and loved ones, on Sunday, Jan. 26, Dr. W. S Graves passed peacefully away.

Dr. Graves was born in Marion county, August 28, 1820. His fa ther and mother were natives o Maryland, coming to Kentucky in 1795. Dr. Graves spent his boy hood on the farm; at the age of twenty he began the study of me dicine, and after studying with Dr Green Forrest, at Lebanon, he began the practice of medicine with his preceptor. In 1846 he moved to Dycusburg, and continued the practice of his profession until ill health and old age made serious inroads upon his physical conditive practice. He was regarded by the people as well as his brother practitioners as a fine physician and his skill as such was attested by his success and great popularity as a physician. He was a man of sterling integrity, strong con-The next attraction of the "Bril victions and unswerving, active devotion to any cause that his keen judgment and broad intelligence led him to champion. He formed many warm friendships at Tolu. throughout this section and nu- jy16m2 merous are the friends who will long cherish his name and mem-

October 27, 1852, he was married to Helen A. Shelby, daughter of Isaac and Catharine (Proctor) Shelby. To them ten children were born, six of whom are now

Go to P. H. Woods cash store. He has something that will interest you. Quick profits; cash down is the plan.

Marriage License.

Jan. 21.—Lugan Ferrel and Miss Minnie K. Watson.

Jan. 21.-W. T. Davidson and

Jan 25,—Geo Davidson and Miss Nora Millikan. Jan. 25.—Chester Cleghorn and

Miss Viola Woodall. Jan 28 .- W, B. Paris and Miss Lillie Fritts.

Jan. 28.-P. M. Sisco and Miss Lilly May Davidson. lumber see them.

trade.

The Same Old Wagon.

Having sold my interest in the shop I will make regular trips wsth my wagon as before. I will sell best meats at lowest prices.

Thanking you for past favors, I am yours truly, D. T. Murphy.

Only two left, women's big sleeve, all wool jackets worth \$5, P. H. Woods.

Mules Wanted DU

going at \$2.

Will be at Pierce & Son's stable

Liberty to all indispensable, Gire me a call,

And that is sensible, Water runs as free as day But for other drinks The ready pay.

Try old J. B. T. at Doss'.

Sheriff's Land Sale FOR TAXES.

By virtue of taxes due Crittenden county and J. T. Pickens, Ex S C C for the years 1898, 1899, 1900, and 1901, I or Miss Newcom is the daughter of Mr. Toseph Newcom and a young p. m., at the court house door in Crittenden county, Ky., offer the following tracts of land for sale for taxes, or so ing. A small audience was pres- fine christian character, and of satisfy the amount of taxes due and cost, to-wit:

115 acres listed by Mary L. Walker. in Marion precinct, No 1 for 1898, \$ 8.15 30 acres listed by Hurst heirs in Bells Mines precinct No. 7 for 1899, \$ 2.50 300 acres listed by Gladstone Mining Co. for 1899, 1900, and by F. B. Posey for 1901, in Bells Mines precinct No. \$55.25 113 acres listed by Dallas Watson in

Hurricane precinct No. 5 for 1899, At the March term of county court I will offer another list of land for sale, and at March term of circuit court I will offer more land for sale for taxes. Closing overcoats \$5 to \$6 at \$3. must collect and settle up my busine so take warning and save cost. This Jan. 14th, 1902.

John T. Pickens, Ex SC C

REV. LOWERY,

at Methodist Church.

A series of meetings begins at the Methodist church this (Wednesday) evening. Rev. John P Lowery of Little Rock, Ark., will the meeting. Rev. Lowrey is an able evangelist and an eloquent speaker. He has conducted several very successful revivals in this State. Two services will be held daily, at ten o'clock in the forenoon and at seven o'clock in the afternoon. A cordial invitation is extended to all pastors and the members of their respective churches to attend and participate in the services.

LATER.—Owing to the inclemency of the weather the meeting Canned corn 10c will not begin until Thursday evening. Rev Lowrey has not yet arrived from Sturgis where he has been engaged in a meeting.

For Sale.

Four head of good work horses and eight head of Jersey cows and heifers. Stock can be seen on my farm at Hurricane, or address me

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The prices on yellow pine lum ber, doors and windows are all advancing on the market, but ours are still low.

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Notice. Those indebted to me, either by account or note will please call and settle at once, as I am needing the money, and shall expect prompt settlement.

> Very respectfully, J. R. Summerville,

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All persons having claims against the estate of the late Jno. E. Flanary will present same or or before Feb. 15th.

J. J. May, Adm'r.

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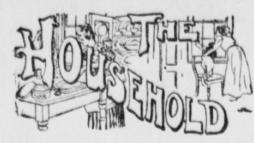
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ART OF CONVERSATION.

Ability to Direct Talk in the Right Direction Is More Important Than Flow of Words.

If you would win laurels as a bright of words that you need, but ability to direct conversation.

You must practice the part of stating a thought, keeping the talk general, or making the guest of honor the apparent leader.

You must draw out the timid, avoid dangerous channels and make every man and woman about you appear at his or her best, while your own efforts are confined to an occasional word to fill a gap.

When you are trying to make a company a conversational success always avoid a rattling liveliness on your own

Don't imagine that to be a clever woman you must be a wit.

If you are naturally witty, well and good; it will erop out occasionally. But if your wit is forced, it will degenerate into mere affectation, and affectation is fatal.

Your main object is to make yourself interesting without being obtrusive-to keep yourself in the background while you direct the general conversation.

It is a wonderfully interesting accomplishment.

You learn to note the slightest change in facial expression. The quiver of an eyelid or the movement of incident. a lip tells you a story. You see pleasure, anger, interest or dislike, where avenue. About a block away she saw est work. It has kept me worried, another detects no thought.

Your own mind acts more quickly as you appreciate the unspoken thoughts of others. You have the pleasure of feeling that your acquire- the dog for the purpose of killing ment is not wholly selfish, for it gives | it. The lady thought the dog was you the power to understand the re- mad. It was a mean-looking animal, you can get along without servants? served and to put the shy at their and, from the way she looked at

matter how interesting your stories know what to do. Finally she conmay be, they are not as a rule so in- cluded that she would rush into one teresting to another person as the of the houses. She picked out the stories he wants to tell. The skillful largest place. She rushed upon the talker, like the really skillful diplo- gallery and jerked the bell sharply. mat, uses few words and makes them A lady came to the door. 'You will count .-- N. Y. World.

FIRST LADY OF IOWA.

Hawkeye Governor, Is a Popular Favorite.

Ing personality and the late Senator curiously after she had seen the dog Gear used to characterize her as his and the man. 'That dog is not mad,' of Eaton Rapids and was married to New Orleans and-' Mr. Cummins at that place in 1874. At that time Mr. Cummins was a law



MRS. A. B. CUMMINS.

student in Chicago. Shortly afterand Mrs. Cummins lived in Chicago an unwise contract. until 1878, when they moved to Des Moines, where they have since reavenue, in the most fashionable quar-

Mrs. Cummins is a member of the years on the board of directors of the and look ahead with eagerness to the social settlement, but has been com- time when he can return. pelled to resign owing to stress of ganization of its kind here.

The Science of Colds.

ailment, a "cold." This is one of the minor troubles of life, but it is a sin- she had better defer her marriage ungularly perverse affection all the same, and one decidedly obstinate as regards its tendencies toward cure. Doctors now agree that the cold in the head or housekeepers before they marry, there "coryza" is an infectious trouble, and would be fewer discontented, unhappy therefore to be regarded as another wives, and more happy homes .- N. Y triumph for the ubiquitous microbe. Weekly. The spread of cold through a household may thus be accounted for on the scientific principle of ordinary infection. The means of cure are many. One English specialist recommends taking an opiate to start with, in the broiler. Lay this over a dripping par shape of 15 or 20 drops of chlorodyne and bake for a few minutes in a hot in water, repeating the dose in, say, oven until crisp and brown, turning four hours. He also prescribes a it once. Drain on brown paper and one for you. Dover's powder at bedtime (say ten serve on a hot platter. The dripping grains) and a hot drink, by way of en- will be clear, rich fat, excellent for

COMEDY OF ERRORS.

New Orleans Woman Who Frightened and Sought Refuge in the Castle of the Enemy.

"Women are thoughtless creatures it times and they frequently get into rather embarrassing predicaments by making thoughtless remarks," said a citizen who lives in St. Charles avenue to a New Orleans Times-Democrat man. "Just now there is a good joke going the rounds on a well-known lady who lives uptown, and it is all due to the fact that she was just a little thoughtless a few days ago. She might have made a life-time conversationalist, first impress your enemy out of a member of her sex mind with the fact that it is not flow | if it had not been for the peculiar



DOG RUSHED TOWARDS HER.

circumstances which surrounded the

a dog rushing toward her, and a few but now I feel safe."-N. Y. Herald. feet behind the dog was a man. He had his right hand shoved in under his coat and seemed to be pursuing things generally, the man was not Above all, don't talk too much. No at all good looking. She did not excuse me,' she said; 'but here comes | you married him? a mad dog.' 'Where?' asked the lady of the house. 'Why, right there,' she more of them. Mrs. A. B. Cummins, Wife of the New | was being pursued by the man. 'And | married a man who wrote such sickenhe is such a horrible-looking crea- ing poetry!" ture,' she continued, 'and the man is after him with a pistol-such a hor- could stop him."-Yonkers Statesman. Mrs. A. B. Cummins, wife of the new rible, desperate looking man! He governor of Iowa, is a leader in so- has a pistol under his coat,' and she cial and club circles in Des Moines, was gasping for breath all the while. She is a woman of ability and charm- The lady of the house looked at her most formidable opponent in the sen- she said with a toss of her head. atorial contest between himself and 'That dog is simply sick. The man Mr. Cummins. Her maiden name was has no pistol. That's a bottle of milk Ida L. Gallery, daughter of Mr. and he has under his coat, and he's my Mrs. James Gallery, of Eaton Rapids, husband, and that's our dog, and he's Mich. She was educated in the schools one of the greatest and best dogs in

"But the frightened lady broke into the conversation and there were a few disdainful exchanges, but couched politely enough, and the little woman who had sought refuge in the house bowed out into the street and started toward her home."

GOOD HOUSEKEEPERS.

After All Is Said and Done, They Are the Only Girls Who Can Make а Нарру Ноше.

To fit herself for married life, every girl should learn to fulfill the duties of a good housekeeper. No matter how old she may be, if she is not capable of managing a house in every department of it, she is not old enough to marry. When she promises to take the position of wife and home-maker. the man who holds her promise has every right to suppose that she is competent to fulfill it. If she proves to be incompetent or unwilling, he has good ward he was admitted to the bar. Mr. reason to consider that he has made

No matter how plain the home may be, if it is in accordance with the hussided. Their home is on West Grand band's means, and he finds it neatly kept, and the meals (no matter how simple) served from shining dishes and clean table linen, that husband will Congregational church and one of its leave his home, morning after mornhardest workers. She was for many | ing, with loving words and thoughts,

Let a young woman play the piane other duties. She has been president and acquire every accomplishment of the Women's club, the leading or- within her power-the more the better -for every one will be that much more changes entirely every seven years? power to be used in making a happy home. At the same time if she cannot Almost everybody one meets is af- go to the kitchen if necessary and and serve it neatly after it is prepared | Times.

til she learns. If girls would thoroughly fit them selves for the position of intelligen;

Nice Way to Cook Bacon. The nicest way to cook bacon is to slice thin, remove the rind and lay the pieces close together on a fine wire



Faith and Works.

One day last week a Berkeley student in one of Prof. L. Dupont Syle's classes | "know how to sit down gracefully. came into the recitation-room so late You should be deliberate about it." that the English teacher made a mild remonstrance at the extreme tardiness of the young man.

"Professor," replied the young fellow, in excusing himself, "my watch was slow. I shall have no faith in it skate at the park this morning," inafter this."

"My dear fellow," said Syle, "what you need is not faith, but works."- | Chicago Post. San Francisco Wave.

Over the Danger Line,

"Weary," said Shiney Patches, as the two were resting as usual, "this is my birthday, and I draw a deep breath of relief, for I am out of dan-

"What are you talking about?" asked Weary.

"I am 35 years old, and for some time I have known that between the "She was walking out St. Charles ages of 20 and 35 men do their great-

An Humble Beginning.

He-I am so glad that you are willing to begin housekeeping in a simple and economical way, but are you sure She-Yes, indeed; that's easily fixed. We can hire furnished apartments which have been left in charge of a housekeeper, you know; and as for the meals, we can leave our orders with a caterer .- N. Y. Weekly.

Wanted to Reform Him.

Mrs. Church-And you say your husband wrote these verses to you before Mrs. Gotham-Yes; and there's a lot

answered, pointing to the dog which "I am surprised that you could have

"I believed it was the only way I

A Theory.

This world as it goes moving on With folly oft seems busy; Perhaps it whirls around so fast That men have all grown dizzy. -Washington Star.

A DIFFERENCE,



"Did I understand the chief to say he had me down for a toast at the ban-

"Nope. He said he had you down on toast."-Chicago American.

A Misanthropic Summary. This life full oft doth make us fret; 'Tis ever fraught with pain. 'Tis made of getting into debt And getting out again. -Washington Star.

Not to Be Disturbed. "I want a pound o' water crackers,"

said Mrs. Korntop. "Well-er-s'pose I send 'em up to your place?" replied the country store-

"I did think to take 'em with me." "Sorry, ma'am, but Jake Bullyman's snoozin' on top o' the bar'l thet they're in, an' he ain't in the best of humor today."-Philadelphia Press.

Repudiates It.

Tailor-See here, this bill has been standing since 1893.

Graphter-My dear sir, don't you know that anatomists say man Tailor-What has that to do with it?

Graphter-Well, don't you see I'm not the same person who contracted flicted with that trivial but annoying cheerfully prepare an appetizing meal, that bill?-Catholic Standard and

A Matter of Trust. "The great trouble," said the capitalist, "is to find a man one can

trust." "Oh, I don't know," replied the man of schemes and poverty. "It depends \$100 wor on the point of view. Now, in my Tribune. case the great trouble is to find a man who will trust me."-Chicago

Going to the Right Shop.

Tess-Della Mode wants me to try her dressmaker. I wonder if she'd suit Jess-Oh, yes, indeed; she's just the

Tess-Why?

look nice .- Tit-Bita

Didn't Do It That Way.

"Very few girls," said the mother, "I am," returned the girl. "Nix," said her annoying small

brother. "Yes, I am, too," said the girl. "Not when you were learning to

sisted the small brother. Thereupon the discussion ended .-

Where They Differ.

Though every dog may have his day There's reason to deplore, The turkey, what with hash and stew, Can count up three or four. -Judge.

CLOSE GUESS.



"This must be one of them sweat shops I've heard so much about."-Chicago Daily News.

Worth Remembering.

"Take heed unto this solemn truth,"
Thus spake the beggar needy; min' chump was I in youth, Now I am old and seedy. -Chicago Daily News.

An Example.

"There is no doubt," said the student of law, "that many people have been imprisoned, although innocent of any crime."

"I know that by sad experience." "You don't say so! Let's have the story.'

"There's no story to it. I merely had the bad luck to be drawn on several juries that were locked up over night."-Washington Star.

A Bibulous Opinion.

"It is appalling to contemplate the effects that this increase in the price of corn may lead to," said the panicky person. "It may lead to something ike a famine.'

"Worse than that," returned Col. Stillwell, solemnly; "worse than that. In my opinion the pangs of thrist are even more terrible than those of starvation."-Washington Star.

As Discussed at the Zoo. "You know," said the orang-outang,

"that man is descended from a monkey.' "Yes," answered the chimpanzee,

"and his descent has been very great. But let us sit down to his credit that he tries to rise again. Every now and then you hear of some man who is doing his best to make a monkey of himself."-Washington Star.

Psyche and Yche. A beautiful lady named Psyche Is loved by a fellow named Yche.

One thing about Ych The lady can't lych Is his beard, which is dreadfully spyche. -Chicago Tribune.

A MILD CASE,



Wife (anxiously)-Is my husband very ill, doctor?

Dr. Stickum-Oh, no! Only about \$100 worth .- Cincinnati Commercial

A Query.

If the farmer who tills Makes his living by tillage, Does the doctor who pills Make his living by pillage? -Philadelphia Record.

Utterly Reckless.

Sillieus-Bjones seems very despond. ent. He says he doesn't care what happens to him.

couraging skin action, provided risk of frying purposes, and the bacon cris; can make the plainest kind of people he'll be going off and getting married. -Philadelphia Record.

Diplomacy.

She was a little Cambridge girl, and not very well acquainted with school discipline One day she was discovcred whispering, and the teacher sent her to an ante-room to meditate on the enormity of her offense. When she was again permitted to join her classmates the teacher asked: "What were you saying to the girl next to you when I caught you whispering?" The little culprit hung her head for a moment, and then replied: "I was only telling her how nice you looked in your new dress." "Well, that-yes-I know-but we must-the class in spelling will please stand up."-Boston

A Thousand Million Suns.

At the Glasgow meeting of the British Association Lord Kelvin interested a large audience with his calculations dressed to George H. Daniels, General Pasof the probable total amount of gravitational matter in the visible universe. He showed that if, 25,000,000 years ago, 1,000,000,000 masses, each equal to our sun, had been distributed through a sphere about 18,000,000,000,-000,000 miles in radius, they would now have acquired velocities about equal to those known to be possessed by the stars visible to us. Therefore it is probable that the total amount of gravitational matter in the visible universe does not differ much from that of 1,000,000,000 suns .-- Youth's Companion.

The Wrong Number The telephone girl and the bill clerk, to whom she had promised her heart and hand, were sitting in front of the fireplace talk-ing about the happy days to come when they would be one. From one little detail to another the talk finally drifted to the subject of lighting fires in the morning. On this point the young man was decided. He stated it as his emphatic opinion that it was a wife's place to get up and start the fires and let her poor, hardworking husband rest. After this declaration there was silence for the space of about three-quarters. Society is like politics. When a man once of a second. Then the telephone girl thrust gets in he forgets all the cynical remarks

out the finger encircled by her engagement ring and murmured sweetly but firmly: "Ring off, please. You have got connected with the wrong number."—W. G. Jackson, in the Salt Lake Herald.

The Four Track News. There is much of education and enlight-

enment in the dainty little monthly magazine, "The Four-Track News," which comes to us from the editorial workshops of the passenger department of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company. Its pages are filled with interesting matter regarding travel, our expanding commerce, and the development of our transportation facilities. The January number is devoted largely to California, the idea of the editor being to give special attention each month to that portion of the world to which people are at the time traveling. The leading article on this subject is "The Land of the Sunset Sea," written by Luther L. Holden. Other interesting features are "Egypt Then and Now," by George Eade; "The Romance of Reality," by Jane W. Guthrie; a sketch of Hudson, New York, by H. R. Bryan, and much that is entertaining in verse and well-edited departments. There are also valuable contributions on the cul tivation of prunes, olives, grain and sugar beets. 50 cents per year, 5 cents per copy. enger Agent, Grand Central station, New

The Real Thing.

'All the mechanical toys you make seem be very successful.'

'Yes," said the inventor. "I've only had What was the matter with it?" "Too realistic, I guess. It was a toy tramp, and it wouldn't work."-Philadel-

He Didn't Have to Kneel. Flora-What a lovely ring; and it's a ady's ring, too. Horace—Yes, I thought you would like

Why, is it for me?" "You are a lady, aren't you?"
"O, dear! This is so sudden!"-Chelses (Mass.) Gazette.

Constant. Alice-Oh, no! Cholly isn't engaged! He

May-Who is that? "Cholly!"-Puck. The meanest man is the home tyrant was calls his wife "darling" in public. Town

Topics.

e used to make about it .- Judge. If you are right, you needn't talk your-self to death telling about it.—Atchison

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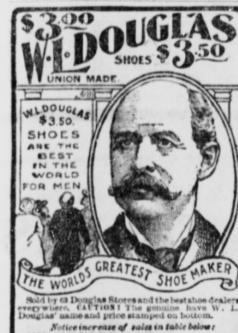
Frank-"Did you know Charlie was married?" George-"No, but it doesn't surprise me; he was forever looking for trouble."-Chelsea Gazette.



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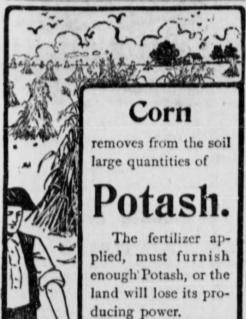
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SOIL AND SOIL TREATMENT.

Bad Management Mainly Responsible For the Deterioration of Farm Lands.

the part of the soil.

so much of this organized water and evolved have flourished for a season air that it more than compensates and disappeared, or have been amaifor the three per cent, taken from gamated with the original varieties the soil.

by the small part it furnished the erop. Then you ask: Why do we find fields and farms, after years of cultivation, become poor, or non-productive? The causes are many. Mainly bad management in plowing when the soil is wet and in plowing so shallow that the soluable plant food is washed away or leached out by the rain-water.

Continuous, clean culture and burning the waste vegetable matter helps to hasten this condition.

The power of any soil to produce depends largely upon the mechanical condition of the soil. Hard, compact soils will not turn loose their elements of the plant food in sufficient quantities to make large crops. A good soil must be finely pulverized

Shallow soils with hard-pan under them will not yield large crops. They do not permit root-growth. The tender rootlets can not pierce this hard-pan in search for food.

Again, they do not furnish suffigrowth. Plants require very large the right sort, of course, to devote cultivation. About three hundred varieties, and then we need more pounds of water must pass through pains-taking farmers to maintain most plants to leave one pound of the standard unimpaired .- Texas dry matter. This would require about Farm and Ranch. two thousand pounds to pass through a corn stalk to make one pound of corn, and the same to pass through cotton stalk to leave one pound of

The soil must be fine and deep and pulverized, not made into mud or power farm motor. mortar. It must also contain rotting

Soil in this condition will be rich.

So much of our land has been put in bad mechanical condition that but Hence the necessity of using comphosphoric acid and potash, readily soluable and available. They greatly increase the yield because of this

They feed the growing plant. The more vigorous the plant the more they help. Just as it pays to give extra food to a thriving pig or beef, so we see that even the helpfulness of fertilizers is dependent upon the mechanical texture of the soil.

The farmers' constant study should be: "How can I improve the mechanical condition of my soil?" Upon his intelligence in answering this question will depend largely his success as a farmer.

Your bottom land is richer than your upland because its mechanical condition is better. Your garden is richer than your farm because its mechanical condition is better.

These are not new discoveries, but so few farmers are acting upon these that they need to be restated.

Where the farmers use two, four and six-horse plows, their soil is deep and fine and productive. Any soil may be made so by proper treatment.

own making or unmaking. so'd when you begin to plant .- South- tural Engineer. ern Cultivator.

THE AGE OF IMPROVEMENT.

Progress Is the Watchward, and the Methods of Our Grandfathers Are Becoming Obsolete.

This is an age of improvement in almost everything man uses to promote his comfort or advance his material interests. The things our sary in saving the corn crop as grandfathers used are obsolete, ex- threshing machines are in saving the cept as antique specimens in curious wheat crop, and will be operated on collections. We live in improved the same plan. houses, and stable our animals in improved barns "with all modern con- had been properly used in saving and veniences," even our hog pens have preparing the crop of last year, galleries to prevent the pigs from be- enough feed for home use would have ing inconvenienced by awkward resulted. In future years, when there mothers. All the hardest work of is a short corp of corn, etc., this ex-"the good old days of yore" is now perience should forcibly remind us of done by machines, tireless and auto- the necessity for properly caring for

ful of our complexions, or have a predilection for luxurious ease. The products of our labor have been improved, both in quantity and quality. We no longer eat brown bread, except as penance for our sins or to flatter a dyspeptic stomach; but The earth was made for the pur- must have the snow-white loat and pose of growing plants. And it is velvety texture of the patent process well and wisely made. The soil is product. Learned men have spent perfectly adapted to growing vegeta- years of toil and study in perfecting ion. It neither grows weary or worn- the fruits of the field until now, we out in this work. Plants were cre- who are accustomed to the change, ated to grow in the soil. So perfect and boast how fully we are up with is their adaptation to this business the times, are often surprised at the that instead of exhausting the soil, beauty and quality of the unending they leave it better by growing in it. varieties of fruits and vegetables in The larger growth upon any given our market stalls and public exhibiarea this year, the larger still is the tions; at the marvellous beauty of the possible growth next year. Such is florist's productions, brought into exthe mutual relationship between the istence by intelligent, careful breedpowers of the soil and the work of ing. In contemplating the wonderthe plants in growing, dying and de- ful works of man as shown in imcaying that it is possible to grow proved fruits, vegetables and flowers, crops continuously upon the same we are a little surprised at the lack soil with ever increasing capacity for of similar improvement in the staple growing more and larger crops on crops of the farm. Our fathers and grandfathers grew as good corn, as It is the result of bad management, good wheat, rye and barley and cotand not of the demands made upon ton as are grown now. Why has not the soil by the growing crops, Vege- as much improvement been made in tation upon an average is 75 per cent. these as in the others? Very slight water, 22 per cent. air, and only three and very temporary improvements have been made in cotton, and in Good farming returns to the soil corn, but the best varieties thus from which they were evolved. How Hence it is a mistake to say that much real improvement has been the soil is exhausted or made poorer made in a thousandyears in the great bread staple wheat? Did not the Egyptians during the reign of the Ptolemies, the Roman farmers on the lower Tiber, as well as those of Babylonia and Carthage, many centuries before Christ, produce as good grain and more per acre than we do, after ages of boasted progress? We have both Biblical and historical statements that in those days wheat was made to purchase 50, 60 and even an hundred fold; that is 50, 60 or 100 bushels for one bushel sown. One reason why so little progress has been made in field crops is the fact that all such crops must be grown from seed, and varieties mix readily. This could be overcome by care in handling and growing, but the average farmer does not invest this care in his business. It is certain that all improvements in seeds will be only temporary in the hands of careless farmers. But some farmers are careful. Of course; and some farmers, by being careful, progressive and enterprising outstrip their neighbors, grow better crops and receive betcient water for the rapid and full ter prices. We need more men, of supplies of water to keep up healthy their time to perfecting improved

provement likely to be accomplished in the twentieth century will be the invention of an efficient six-horse-

There is no farm implement worked vegetable matter to furnish the by two or more horses that would not humus, without which plants can not do better work if driven by a motor.

A farmer with a suitable motor could use a plow that would enable It will produce large crops. It mat- him to plow within four inches of ters not if it be red or gray, sandy fence posts, plowing away from them, and would not need to turn at the ends, but just reverse and plow back.

He would not be stopped by stones few farms will produce large crops, any more than when using a spring tooth cultivator; would be able, when mercial fertilizers. These contain work was pressing, to work as many hours as there are of daylight; would at all times be sheltered from the sun, wind, rain or cold, if he wished to be; could use a mower or reaper with the knife directly in front, avoiding the necessity of mowing around the field by hand, or tramping the hay or grain.

> whether plowing or sowing, reaping or mowing, spraying or weeding. He might thus do his work faster

He could sit or stand as he chose,

and better than with any machines drawn by horses.

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He could change his motor from one implement to the other as quick-

He could, with his motor yoked to a wide-tired wagon loaded with a full two-horse load, start from a soft cul-Your soil is largely a thing of your tivated field at about one mile an hour rate, increase to two or three The success or failure of your mile rate on firm ground and then crops for the next year will depend to five, eight or ten miles an hour largely upon the condition of your rate on hard, level road .- Agricul-

HERE AND THERE.

-Brood sows need plenty of exercise, but there must be no compulsion about it. Walking and grazing, and rooting for food dainties is all right, but chasing with or without dogs is all wrong.

-Corn harvesters and shredders in future will be counted quite as neces-

-If cornharvesters and shredders matic. We cultivate our fields while what is raised.

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Shod a horse when 99 years Always conquered the grip with Pe-ru-na.

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SAAC BROCK, a citizen of McLennan county, Texas, has lived for years.

114 years. For many years he resided at Bosque Falls, eighteen miles

on-in-law at Valley Mills, Texas. Isaac came to Waco and sat for his picture. In his hand he held a stick cut I think I have done so. from the grave of General Andrew Jackson, which has been carried by him ever since. Mr. Brock is a dignified old gentleman, showing few signs proper remedy for ailments that Ohio.

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Ave., N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

of decrepitude. His family Bible is still preserved, and it shows that the date of his birth was written 114 years

able old gentleman, who has had 114 years of experience to draw from, would be interesting as well as profitable. A lengthy biographical sketch is given of this remarkable old man in the Waco Times-Herald, December 4, 1898. A still more pretentious biography of this, the oldest living man, illustrated with a double column portrait, was given the readers of the Dallas Morning remedy, Peruna.

Very truly yours, News, dated December 11,1898, and also the Chicago Times-Herald of same

west of Waco, but now lives with his extreme old age, Mr. Brock says:

date. This centenarian is an ardent

friend of Peruna, having used it many

"One of the things I have found uable advice gratis. out to my entire satisfaction is the the Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus,

are due directly to the effects of the climate. For 114 years I have withstood the changeable climate of the United States.

"I have always been a very healthy. man, but of course subject to the little affections which are due to sudden changes in the climate and temperature. During my long life I have known a great many remedies for coughs, colds and diarrhoea.

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Iser Brock

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NEICHBORHOOD NEWS.

DYCUSBURG.

Right of way has been granted the new railroad through Dycusburg along

Our school closed Friday. The principal, J. Henry Parish, has secured a spring term here to begin Feb. 3d. Next to Marion Dycusburg school dis

trict has the largest number of public school pupils in Crittenden county. Mrs Vosier is now visiting in Nash-

ville.

Mrs. Robt Cooksey is convalescing from serious illness.

Frank Charles. of Tenn., is the affable clerk at Spot Cash. S. H. Cassidy and J. H, Clifton are

confined to their respective homes, suffering with the grip. The town trustees have contracted for

a new cemetery fence.

uncles, the Yancey Bros.

Saloon license for J. C. Griffin have with him. He expects to add a stock of

On the 16th inst. Dr W. S. Graves, aged 82, sank on the street near his home from exhaustion. Since then he has been lingering at the point of death. Friends scarcely hope for his recovery.

A city hall in the near future is one of our possibilitiss.

for shipment. Mrs Carter of Clarksville, Tenn., wife

music class. Messrs Wm. Parsons and Relph Morr Moss of Pinckneyville are boarding with S. Tisdale and working as warehousmen for Cassidy & Co.

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APPLEGATE.

Mrs Dallas Buchanan has been ill foe several days.

Joe Thurman is the proud father of a ten pound boy.

Freeman Railey of Morganfield visited

friends here Sunday. Miss Gertie Nunn closed her school at Sugar Grove last week and has returned

to her home in this community. Sunday was the regular meeting day

at Rosebud. Misses Ida Duvall and Linnie Nunn.

of Repton, visited friends here last Our school closed Saturday after a most successful term of work. An en-

tertainment was given Saturday night. A large crowd enjoyed the evening's programme. Mr. Alvis Stephens has proved a most competent and popular teacher. He has been our instructor for the past two years and we hope to have him with us again.

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My little four years old girl's eyes were always so weak from birth that she could not stand any light at all. Was treated by several physicians without benefit. My neighbors persuaded me to buy Morley's Sarsaparilla and Iron from Mr. C. Daugherty, Bannock, Ky. Three bottles not only restored her sight but made her stronger and healthier than she ever was in her life. David Kessing. Sold by agents in every town, and by Woods & Co.

MEXICO.

Miss Nora Butler has been visiting her brother near Tribune the past week.

Geo Pierce, who has been clerking for Tabor & Stephenson the past year, moved to his farm last week.

Mrs Pollard is a guest of her daughter, Mrs Tabor, this week.

Allen Young, who has been very low with fever six or eight weeks, is some

There was a social at James Crider's Saturday night.

Mrs W. B. Bibbs and daughter, Miss Katie, were guests of friends at Frances last week.

C. A. Butler visited his sister in Lyon county last week.

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MATTOON.

Uncle Horace Travis visited his son Daniel here last week.

Joe Turley of Star was through here

David Utley, of near Providence, will move to this section shortley.

Edgar Kemp left here a few days ago

for South America and the Hawaiian Miss Hortense Finley, of Marion, has

been visiting Misses Anna and Rebecca Phillips of this place. Mr. Louis, the Evansville man who

purchased several acres of land near this place where limestone is a superfluity, is meeting with decided success in his investment. It is expected that by the first of June there will be a dozen kilns in operation, employing thirty or forty men. Mr Nunn, the present manager, showed your correspondent several spe-Tom P. Moore, traveling salesman for cimens of fine glass which accidentally Sunday. a St. Louis shoe firm, is a guest of his found their way into the kiln and were melted. Mr Nunn asserts that silver and other valuable metals are found in been renewed, and James Bennett is paying quantities, which sooner or later will be developed.

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The past several weeks have been hard

The Baptist church engaged the Rev Miller, of Corydon, as pastor for the en-

Ed Baker's boy is five months old and weighs 26 lbs. Lev Mitcherson moved to Crider Mon

Mrs Moore lectured at the Baptist church Friday night and at the C. P

church Saturday night. Jas Myers of Crittenden was in town

The town was full of people Monday; too disagreeable to work.

A good Ifne of overcoats yet at big val Sam Howerton.

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NEW SALEM.

Dave Woolford has had a very sick child the past week.

Henry Brouster, of this section, who has been quite sick at Tolu the past What a Soldier Thinks of Army week is convalescing.

The iron bridge at New Salem is up at last and ready for travel; it is one of the best and cheapest bridges in the county. Fred Clement was here last week and

purchased a lot of corn to replace the corn destroyed by fire at his place a few days ago.

John Limbaugh, of Rosa Claire, Ills, was the guest of his brother, Charley Brown.

Prayer meeting at New Salem every Saturday night at early candle lighting. and will so continue just as long as the Master spares a certain old man in this

John Pace has moved to his farm, bought of Will Lowrey.

Bill Conyers and Lan Harpending

Pointed Paragraphs.

war clouds.

Ridicule never kills, unless the death is deserved.

Many an embalmed thought has been buried in the waste basket. DON'T LIVE TOGETHER.

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Charity is but one of the many things that should begin at home.

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A WOMAN'S WEARINESS.

action of their organs, which loads the system with impurities, poisons the blood, and shatters their nerves. Morley's Sarsaparilla and Iron will cleanse the system, vitalize the nerves and give strength and energy. At Woods & Co.

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Life in Kansas.

FORT RILEY, KAN., Jan. 18. EDITOR PRESS: Of late I have received many letters from friends in Livingston and Crittenden counties in regard to the army and also of the western country, and as my time is limited I shall endeavor to give a description through the columns of your valuable paper.

I have not been in the service long enough to become accustomspent Sunday in the Sheridan neighbor- ed to the ways of the "regular," yet my description may interest Harry Harpending came down from many of your readers anyhow.

Marion" Saturday and remained over This post is in the central part of Kansas on the "Kaw," (or better known to scholars as the Kansas) river and only fifty-four miles Pensions-The silver linings of from the home of the "Hatchet Brigade" leader, Mrs. Carrie Nation of Topeka.

This is one of the oldest posts in the United States and was the home of the famous Indian fighter Gen. Custer, from the time the Seventh cavalry was organized until the battle of the Wichita in

We have eight troops of cavalry with costiveness nine years," says J. O. and three batteries of field artille-Greene, Depew, Ind., "I have tried ma- ry; also one cavalry band and ar-

> The cavalry troops are A, B, C and D, of the Fourth, known as Col. Carr's "Rough Riders" just back from the Philippine islands. The batteries are the Sixth, Nineteenth and Seventh, the latter being the oldest field battery in the service, being organized in 1854 at Ft. Myers, Va.

It is rumored that the artillery corps are to be in Topeka on the Woman's sensitiveness make them twenty-ninth of this month to subject to more intense weariness than welcome the arrival of Brig. Gen. men. The melancholy, depression and Funston, who is now on his way Office over Marion Bank.

from the islands. I am more than pleased with the army and can not understand why so many become discouraged with it. Any one who conducts themselves on the right principles can succeed as well in the army as seldom come back to the man who they can on the "outside." The army is O. K. for a fellow that can obey the command and exe cute properly the instructions gi-

ven by his superior officers. In regard to the country, I noticed in your paper not many months past a letter from Gertrude McCain, of Phillipsburg, Kansas, in which she says that she lives in the far off west and is well pleased with the country. Guess she is pretty easily pleased. She speaks of the grasshopper as being very patriotic in his uniform of red, white and blue. The grassnever been able to see what color

they are. I think that this must be the 'God forsaken" country of the

Mr. F. J. Clement in his letter of Aug. 6th, 1901, has well described western life, and he touched along the soldier line, too. He is correct when he says than one can PADUCAH, write a week of the western country scenes. Yes, I could even be months in telling of the many queer things of the west, and more especially of those of Kansas.

Pardon me, Mr. Editor; I did not intend to make my letter so

I beg to remain, yours in the ranks,

Maurice C. Sutherland, Seventh Battery Artillery, Artillery Corps, Ft. Riley, Kan.

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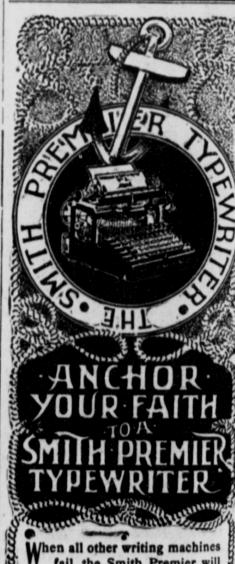
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